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HOOVER FIRES OPENING GUN

Outlines His Policy in Campaign for Republican Presidential Nomination

Withdraws Name as Candidate of Any Other Party—Always a Republican

Explains Why He Urged Support of Wilson in Last Campaign

NEW YORK, April 3.—Herbert Hoover, who has announced he is ready to accept the republican presidential nomination, if it is demanded of him, issued a statement today in which he requested he be not further embarrassed by suggestions of some independents that his name be placed before any other party, as "a primary sense of team work in any party organization would preclude such a possibility."

Mr. Hoover said he had no great record of partisan activity and "admitted" that his political activity was confined to membership in a prominent republican club and allegiance to the party over a period of years. He added that, because of his profession of a mining engineer, continual shift of residence had prevented him from exercising as much as he desired the privilege of every citizen at the polls.

Asserting that his administrative duties in various relief organizations would prevent him from making a personal canvass for the nomination, Mr. Hoover said he expected Hoover organizations throughout the country would have to expend certain amounts for printing and other expenses, but that he hoped they would confine themselves to minor subscriptions and expenditures and would be prepared to open their books to public inspection.

Mr. Hoover requested that men and women advocating his nomination, "bear in mind that personal criticism of the other names before the party is costly or service to the opposition."

"All these men," he said, "are patriotic, honorable Americans. They have all served the country well and are entitled to respect."

Because he had refused to allow his name put into the primaries, Mr. Hoover declared that there was "little organization" on his behalf and, at this late date, no organization is possible that could compete with other organizations. He urged that his supporters confine their energies "to promotion of their views to the country and the delegates already named, with full respect to their prior pledges."

Mr. Hoover said that he had no expectation that his entrance into the presidential race would be welcomed by the "type of person who conceives that fitness for office, patriotism and citizenship, depend upon placing sheer

CALL FIREMEN WILL GET PAY

Writ of Mandamus Entitles Them to Wages for Past Two Months

City Council May Be Asked to Declare Call Force Abolished

The 11 call firemen who are to be restored to their positions in the local fire department as a result of the issuance of writs of mandamus by Judge Pierce in the supreme court yesterday will be entitled to their pay from Feb. 1 of this year up until the time they are restored to their places in the department by Commissioner John F. Salmon.

This will cost the city approximately \$160. If the men are restored at once. During the two months that they were supposed to be no longer members of the department some of the callmen have continued to respond to alarms, but Commissioner Salmon instructed Chief Edward F. Saunders to give them no orders and to ignore them whenever they appeared at fires. Only one of the 11 men turned in his badge to the commissioner.

Mr. Salmon was not at city hall today and could not be located so that his plans regarding the restoration of the men might be known. However, the decision of the court gives him little choice of action. The men must be reinstated and then, if further action is to be taken, the municipal council may be called upon to declare the call force of the city abolished and to instruct the commissioner again to notify the callmen of their discharge.

Council for the firemen at the hearing yesterday stressed the point that the abolition of the firemen was a matter of policy to be decided by the municipal council as a whole and not by any one commissioner. This together with the charge that the notices sent to the firemen were not locally drawn is said to have been the point that decided the case.

As a result of recent legislation, the legal form of notice of removal of a city employee has been changed from what it has been for a number of years and when the notices were sent to the callmen they were drawn according to the old form instead of the new, it was said today. Furthermore, the law department was not called upon to pass on the legality of the notices when they were issued, City Solicitor William D. Regan says.

Whether Commissioner Salmon will ask the city council to pass a vote abolishing the call force of the fire department could not be learned today, owing to the commissioner's absence. However, one fact is assured—the callmen are entitled to two months' pay for which they are supposed to have been no work.

Participation above national interest or who requires years of demonstrated participation in work with mechanical politicians."

"I cannot assist these people with explanations trying to prove that I belong to their class," he added.

"Some people of this sort feel great trouble of mind in that in a letter addressed to a friend last year I expressed my alarm at the then growing partisanship and pressed the need for unity of action between legislative and executive branches of the government, while we were still faced with the problems of war. It was obviously my duty, as an important war official to support the president without thought of any political interest to myself from the day I entered the administration until I left it, and I put no qualifications upon or apologies for loyalty to one's chief in office."

CHICAGO, April 3.—Three more republican candidates for the presidency are planning to open headquarters and join the Wood and Lowden forces on "Presidential Row" in a down-town hotel. It was announced today.

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"I WENT TO THE ANIMAL FAIR"

"I went to the animal fair
The birds and the beasts were there;
The big baboon, by the light of the moon,
Was combing his auburn hair."

In this case the animals are in the new Field Museum in Chicago, which is to be opened soon. The building cost \$10,000,000 and 30 freight trains have been busy moving everything from stuffed animals to butterfly wings into it.

LOWELL'S SAFETY FIRST CAMPAIGN

Two important developments marked the third day of Lowell's safety first campaign, which is being conducted during the first two weeks of April under the general direction of Supt Welch of the police department and which has for its objectives the elimination of carelessness, an enemy which takes toll of thousands of lives in America yearly, and the minimizing of street traffic accidents in this city.

The first was a conference between the superintendent and Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools, at which plans were formulated for a very thorough and educational presentation of the dangers of carelessness in the city's schools next week. This will include lectures by teachers depicting the results of carelessness to school children and pointing out the best methods of avoiding street traffic accidents. The pupils will also be asked to write essays on accident prevention.

The second development, and one which it is believed will have a large bearing on the success of the drive,

consisted of the issuing of instructions to all policemen asking for greater co-operation in accident prevention. Particular attention is called to over-speeding and other automobile law violations, and the local "finest" is asked to leave no stone unturned in seeing to it that motorists who disregard traffic regulations are brought before the court.

"Careless America," the accident prevention film which has been secured from the Universal Film Co., will be exhibited at several of the local theatres this afternoon and evening, and rapt fire speakers will again be present at the different theatres to make brief address on the dangers of carelessness, both on the part of drivers and pedestrians.

Atty. Frank Goldman will be the speaker at the Strand theatre this evening, and it is hoped to secure Maj. Walter R. Joyes, in B. F. Keith's theatre. It is probable that other well-known speakers will be on hand at the other theatres where this great educational picture is being shown.

Atty. Albert S. Howard was the speaker at the Strand theatre last evening and Supt. Welch made a brief address at the Merrimack Square theatre.

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HARKING BACK TO THE GOOD OLD DAYS

They're still advertising suits in Lowell, good ones, too, at from \$10 to \$12 per each. Also shoes at \$2.50 and \$3.00 a pair.

Out in upper Gorham street, there is an old sign board announcing to all and sundry that these bargains aforesaid may be obtained at a local store.

But alas, the prices it flaunts in the face of a price-ridden generation are no more. The firm has been out of business for years and the sign is merely a survival of that prehistoric period when suits of clothes were suits and not investments.

A very little mental arithmetic will tell how times have changed. Such exercise is not recommended to purchasers who like to keep control of their tempers, however.

In the present advance state of civilization, it takes mighty close to a century note to purchase a suit that will give one the service once to be expected from these \$10 and \$12 suits.

And as to shoes—well, it will cost at the very least a ten-spot to buy a pair which won't break when one walks down the aisle in one's favorite church or movie house.

Verily, times have changed.

LOWELL GIRL WANTS COWBOY HUSBAND

Somewhere in Moody street—just where we're not allowed to say—there lives a pretty 22-year-old miss who wants to get married. But she doesn't intend to sell the matrimonial sex with any Lowell young man—not she. A black-eyed, handsome and husky cowboy of the golden west is her ideal, and she's either going to capture a chap from the land of the wild and woolly or remain single.

Just to show that she is in real earnest in her search for a cowboy husband she has written a letter to the sheriff of an Arizona county, describing herself most minutely, and asking his assistance in lassoing some husky cowpuncher who wants a life partner from the City of Spindles.

Sheriff must have sympathized with her ambition, for he turned the let-

ter over to the Tombstone Prospector, an Arizona daily, which subsequently published it. The Tombstone Prospector has a considerable circulation in Arizona, and although the Moody street miss has not received any applications for her heart and hand she hasn't given up hope.

BELIEVES IN SAFETY FIRST PRECAUTION

Contractor Drapau, who is in charge of the general construction of the auditorium in East Merrimack street, made arrangements this morning for a private room at St. John's hospital in the event of accidents occurring while the building is in the



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If You're Like Most Men

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A NEW HAT FOR

EASTER

Good

Hats Are Still

Available

Here at

\$5

Other good ones

\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50

First of all you want right style—then becomingness we know. And say—do you know scores of men come in here and say—"I want you to fit me in a hat; I leave it to you." They do it season after season—why? Because we're particular to see that they're fitted right—size, shape, color, velvet. That's a mighty satisfying sort of headwear service— isn't it?

TALBOT'S

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process of erection. In addition Mr. Drapau has equipped his office, on the site with a first-aid kit as well as a bunk for the comfort of those who might meet with accidents, pending the arrival of the ambulance. The services of Dr. Francis Mahoney have also been retained, and the physician will visit the premises three times a week. "We don't anticipate that any serious accident will occur on the job," said Mr. Drapau, "but we believe in safety first."

Lowell Prepared for Easter

Continued

day and Lowell's clothing stores have done their part nobly in "dressing up" the city for the day.

Unless the weather man and the store keepers work in co-operation their Easter efforts are of no avail for new clothes are of little use on a stormy day, and, vice versa, good weather is not enjoyed to its utmost depths unless one is attired in clothes that have lately left the tailor, dressmaker or clothing dealer.

But as things look now there's perfect peace and harmony between the power that regulates the weather and the men and women who sell clothes. Tomorrow should bring to Merrimack street an Easter parade no less brilliant than that for which Fifth avenue certainly gets its picture in the papers. For certainly Lowell store windows have been adorned during the past cou-

ple of weeks with finery appealing to the eye, conducive to fashion and, in some instances, heart-breaking to the purse.

But as one of Lowell's shoppers is reported to have said during the Christmas season last December—"It's a little high, but I'll take it." So it is with the Easter shoppers. They are willing to pay the price to appear at their best. tomorrow and downtown dealers report a brisk business, which will reach its height this evening.

It will be in the churches that Easter will be most formally observed. Impressive musical programs have been arranged and sermons appropriate to the occasion will be delivered.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Received Too Late for Classification

COTTON SPINNERS, spindler and family help for mill in western part of state; agent will hire from S. 1, Monday, at Middlesex Service Bureau, 160 Middlesex st.

GIROS for worsted mill, experienced or learners—meet agent, Wednesday. Girls to learn Axminster setting, Mass. carpet mill, 33c hour while learning; cotton ring spinners, weavers, spoolers, tenders. Middlesex Service Bureau, 160 Middlesex st.

WARDER TENDER, local; kitchen women; ward maids, waitress for institutions; girls to light factory work; laundry; maid, 33c hour while learning; cook for boarding house. Middlesex Service Bureau, 160 Middlesex st.

ARMAND HANDS wanted; married couples for farms. Middlesex Service Bureau, 160 Middlesex st.

Girls, Here's a Leap Year Tip

BY M. DUNNING



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BIG PACKERS NOW ONLY BUTCHERS

Palmer Discusses Long Campaign Against "Big Five" Before House

Declares the Divorce Decree Met Every Just Complaint

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Court proceedings against the "big five" Chicago packers were instituted because "it had come to the time for a showdown in the industry," Attorney General Palmer today told the house agriculture committee. The attorney general appearing in connection with pending regulatory legislation reviewed what he called the long campaign against the industry in court and before public opinion.

"It seemed to me that the thing had come to a point where the packers were either entitled to a clean bill of health," said Mr. Palmer, "or the public was entitled to a judgment of some sort against them."

The consent decree, finally agreed upon after the government had instituted suit, he said was the result.

The divorce decree, Mr. Palmer said, "met every just complaint that had been made by consumers, producers or competitors, against the packers."

"It met them by adjournment with means for enforcing it," the attorney

general continued. "The managers and influential stockholders in the packing corporations can be convicted of contempt of court and imprisoned for any violation of its terms. This makes these five great packers butchers and nothing else. They are no longer a menace to the food tables of America with their monopoly of meat and all other foods."

DISCHARGED FIREMEN BACK ON THE JOB

Writs of mandamus, providing for the restoration of 12 discharged firemen of the local department whom Commissioner John F. Salmon discharged several months ago, were issued by Judge Pierce in the supreme court in Boston yesterday afternoon. The writs were issued in the test cases of Chas. E. Alway and James E. Burns, two of the firemen who had been dismissed.

Counsel for the firemen, Stanley E. Qua, based his contention on the grounds that the dismissal of the firemen was a matter of policy and should have been brought to the attention of the entire municipal council. City Solicitor William D. Regan appeared for the city.

DANIELS URGES CHANGES

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Secretary Daniels announced today he was forwarding a letter to Chairman Page of the senate naval committee, urging that provisions for a deep water naval base on San Francisco bay below Mare Island navy yard, a submarine base at San Pedro, Cal., a destroyer base at Port Angeles, Wash., and extensions of naval facilities at Hawaii be made in the naval appropriation bill recently passed by the house. These increased facilities have been urged by the secretary as necessary because of the enlargement of the Pacific fleet.

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First—to take the packers out of the stockyard business, out of the terminal railroads which entered the stockyards, and out of livestock or market publications and keep them out.

"In detail, the plan is worked out so that the defendants themselves may present a plan to dispose of their interests and if that plan is not approved by the court, then a method is made by which the court may fix the plan.

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Housing Problem Solved to Some Extent in Worcester



A one-family house at Indian Hill Village, Worcester, Mass.

(N.E.A. Staff Special)

WORCESTER, April 3.—Houses for workers—the problem that is the bugaboo of every city in the United States—has been solved here, in part at least.

In 1915, the Norton Co., then having 3700 employees, was faced by the problem of big "labour turnover" because of inadequate, insufficient housing.

The company determined to build—not the usual "company houses" which have failed to solve the housing problem anywhere, but a model industrial village. It called in one of the best planners and architects in the country.

A 33-acre site, several miles from the heart of the city, near Indian

THE INDIAN HILL PLAN

The Indian Hill Co. gives each purchaser a schedule showing the required monthly payments. The following table (1915 figures) shows the principal of financing these homes:

Your total purchase price	\$3,851.50
You make first payment of 10 per cent	385.15
You borrow on a mortgage, the balance	3,416.35
The amount due in 12 years secured by time note is, 1,000.00	
The balance, secured by debt	2,466.35
Your monthly interest during first 12 years is	11.45
Your monthly payment to co-operative bank will be	5.00
Total monthly payments during first 12 years	19.45
Our monthly interest payment after 12 years will be	10.00

lake, on a lofty ridge, with a beautiful view over open country, was selected.

Indian Hill is Model

Today it is the industrial village of "Indian Hill," one of the most successful housing developments in the United States. The workers are all happy.

The Indian Hill Co., a subsidiary of the Norton Co., was formed to carry out the development, with a view to individual ownership, permanency and contentment in employment, and resultant general efficiency.

Indian Hill has no gridiron of streets, no asphalt paving, no rows

of houses of intolerable sameness. The streets wind about the natural grades. The first 55 houses were built in two operations during the summers of 1915 and 1916. The houses are white frame, and have slate roofs.

Parks and Clubs

In addition to one and two-family houses, Indian Hill has a dining hall, the Saucet Inn, a boarding house for bachelors, embodying the features of a club, a similar institution for bachelor girls of the office force, a chapel and a recreation hall.

There are large parks, small parks and children's playgrounds.

The Indian Hill Co. requires from the purchaser an initial payment of 10 per cent of the purchase price, whereupon a conveyance of the property is made. For the balance the purchaser gives two notes, one for \$1000, payable in 12 years at 5 per cent, and another for the balance of the purchase price, payable on demand, with interest at 5 percent, both notes being secured by a purchase money mortgage.

The purchaser gives also a supplementary agreement in the effect that he will purchase in a co-operative bank five shares, and will continue payments thereon until his deposits shall have matured in the sum of \$1000.

Buyers Feel Independent

This insures the payment of the 12-year note according to its terms. It gives the purchaser a feeling of independence, inasmuch as he does not make periodic payments on the principal to the company, and enables him to become acquainted with co-operative bank methods.

In consideration of this agreement the company agrees not to make demand upon the demand note as long as the purchaser shall continue to make monthly payments of interest to the company and payments to the bank.

The result is that at the end of 12 years, a sufficient proportion of the purchase price has been paid so that the purchaser owns the property free except a first mortgage for not over 60 per cent of the value of the property, so that he can go to a bank for a mortgage, if he wishes, and be independent of the company.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Good Friday services were held at the First Universalist church last evening, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D.D., who preached on "The Seven Last Words of Christ." The congregation was large and the services were beautiful in its relation to the observance of Easter time. Appropriate music was sung by the church quartet.

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THE COST OF BUILDING IS BUILDING ACTIVITIES AT STILL SOARING LOW EBB HERE

NEW YORK, April 2.—With regard to the building situation, S. W. Straus of S. W. Straus and Co. says:

"The general tendency of building costs continues uninterruptedly toward higher levels. The demand for new structures of all kinds is growing more acute in all parts of the country. There were large gains in construction work reported from all leading cities for March as compared with February, but the exact figures are not yet completed. However, there have been many adverse factors in evidence. The severe winter weather which existed in many sections of the United States during February and the first half of March has been an important factor in retarding new construction. While there is a shortage of all building materials due primarily to labor conditions, the unseasonable weather restricted the output of such building commodities as sand, gravel, brick and tile, and many large plants were closed down. There also is an acute shortage in structural steel, and many large building projects are being held up because of the stringency in these basic materials.

"Another adverse feature is the car shortage, which has grown so acute that one of the large steel companies recently had in its yards from 150,000 to 160,000 tons of finished steel which could not be delivered to the purchasers because freight cars were not available. The car shortage has proved an adverse factor in the coal situation and it is reported that in recent weeks, the coal supply at the coal mines has seldom been above 60 per cent of normal. The production of coke also has fallen off for a like cause.

"There is lack of production indicated along all lines. What is needed is a determination on the part of all interests connected with the building industry to increase the actual amount of work accomplished.

"Lack of stabilization, unsettled prices, shortage of materials and inadequate housing facilities, both for business and personal uses, will continue until we settle down to a period of steady production and constructive thrift in all lines of endeavor. Hard work and a serious determination to relieve the present great building deficit must prove the underlying cause of stable conditions.

"Until there is a general adoption of these principles of applied thrift, we may expect to find prices tending steadily toward higher levels with a shortage of building supplies and a growing inadequacy of housing conditions everywhere."

CHEAP RENTS FOR GLASGOW WORKERS

BY MILTON BRONNER
European Manager N.E.A.

GLASGOW, April 3.—The city of Glasgow tackled the housing problem long before it was made acute in Great Britain, America and France as a result of the war.

In fact, Glasgow started 50 years ago to tear down the old tenement houses, put up new buildings and construct wider and better streets at a total cost of \$5,500,000.

A beginning was made by the erection of two model tenements and seven model lodging houses, six for men and one for women. The city put up stone buildings of from three to five stories in height. In each a large dining hall and abundant kitchen facilities. There is in each a big recreation room.

The seven lodging places can accommodate 223 persons. The charges vary from 8 to 12 cents a night.

An innovation was the erection of a "family home" in which rooms are let to workmen with motherless children. Servants look after the children while the father is away at work and see that these of school age go to school. The children are boarded for about 15 cents a week. The room for the man and his family costs \$1.10 per week. Children beyond the number of three are given beds in the dormitory at an extra cost of 16 cents a week. The last reports showed that 122 men and 146 children were living in this home.

In all, the city has provided homes for 239 families. Apartments are rented by the city for from \$25 to \$75 per annum to workmen.

The city's manager for this property is W. C. Menzies, who in his younger days emigrated to America and worked for a time on public buildings in Cleveland. Later he worked on suburban residences in Cincinnati and Covington and still later in Chicago.

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Unless there is a big drop in the price of labor and materials, which is not anticipated, there will not be much doing in the building line in this city, this summer. Of course, it is believed that all local craftsmen will be kept busy for the two big city jobs that have been started, the erection of the new high school and that of the auditorium will give employment to a great many men, but the contractors feel that they will have plenty of time to enjoy trips to the beaches, for with the exception of the auditorium and high school, building activities are practically at a standstill.

A local contractor stated yesterday that many people who own land in this city have been planning for the past two or three years to build dwelling houses, but they keep postponing in hopes that the cost of labor and material will come down.

Real activities at the high school and auditorium have not yet started, but it will be but a short time before large gangs of men are put to work at both places. At the high school, the excavating for the foundation is being done by Patrick Cogger with his steam shovel and only a few men are employed on the job. It is expected that within a short time, a big gang of masons and bricklayers will be put to work and as fast as the work will progress, the number of hands will be increased. Contractor Drapeau, who has charge of the building of the auditorium, stated yesterday that within another week he will put a big gang of laborers at work demolishing the many foundations on the site and clearing the place of all debris.

New Buildings

In addition to those mentioned in The Sun a couple of weeks ago, the new buildings that are being erected in Lowell are as follows:

August Sargent is erecting a bungalow in Fairfax street.

Joseph Paquin is building a seven-room cottage at 55 Dunfee street.

Fred L. Vane is building a seven-room cottage in Duran street.

Remodelings, Etc.

Isaac Bernstein is remodeling his property at 360 Middlesex street. New stores will be laid out on the street floor, while modern tenements will be built on the other floors.

Andrew Barrett is remodeling his property in Salem street, opposite Dempsey's place, into a four-tenement house with two stores on the street floor. This building has been vacant for a great many years.

Israel Greenberg is remodeling the old building at the corner of Middlesex and Garnet streets. The first floor will be occupied by stores, while the upper floors will be converted into modern flats.

REAL ESTATE DEALERS

Sales by Paul A. Bogosian

Mr. Paul A. Bogosian, real estate broker, office 218-220 Bradley building, 117 Central street, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week:

The final papers have been recorded for the sale of the pretty 5-room cottage with trellised vine piazzas, garden and fruit trees. This property contains 2720 square feet of land, and has a beautiful view of the Merrimack river. It is located at 15 East Hildreth street.

This sale was made in behalf of Richard Cox. The grantees is Leck Chakar and Edward Sooklak, who bought for investment.

Final papers have been passed for the sale of a cozy 7-room cottage situated at 42 West Third street, furnace heat, gas, cement cellar, plaza, newly painted, new roof and other improvements. It has 1650 square feet of land and is in a desirable location.

This sale was made in behalf of Lillian Larson. The grantee is Archibelle C. Clement and Emma E. Clement, who bought for personal occupancy.

Final papers have also been passed for the sale of a 9-tenement house, situated at 51-53 Austin street, having 5 rooms each, gas and other improvements. This property has 3102 square feet of land and is assessed for \$5000. The rents bring about \$2000 yearly.

This sale was made in behalf of Ernest Verville and Eva Verville. The grantee is J. Frechette, who bought for investment.

Thomas H. Elliott

Thomas H. Elliott, office 51 Central street, corner of Prescott, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week:

On behalf of Joseph G. Wright, Esq., of Boston, Mass., conveyance has been effected of a large residential parcel of realty at 223 Parkview avenue. The house is of nine rooms, with modern appointments, and there is included a two-car garage. Land to the extent of 15,000 square feet comprises the beautiful grounds. Paul B. Chandler bought for occupancy.

Final papers recorded on sale of an attractive two-apartment property at 14-16 Burns street. The apartments contain six rooms with some modern conveniences. Edward J. O'Connell gave title to John Hamel, who bought for investment.

Also the transfer of a modern two-tenement house situated at 55-57 Gardner avenue. Each tenement has six rooms, with polished floors, wash trays and open plumbing. Dr. Arthur Gage deeded to Charles L. Leeds.

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Fred E. Nelson to Mary J. Dix, Clark road.

Walter S. Bynor to James Irvine Wallace, Sixth st.

Max Cobb to David Berman, Washington st.

Legion Malouz, et al. to Joseph C. Lillie, ex. Lilley ave.

Thomas G. Robbins to Corona Dalton, ex. Lilley ave.

Clark G. Smith et al. to Michael M. Quigley, Mt. Grove st.

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Deien M. Chaffoux to Gustave Chouinard, Henry J. Dowdy, est. by etx. to Mary A. Sullivan, Schaefer st.

Joseph F. Verne et ux. to William D. Leggett, Due Merle st.

Lincoln R. Welch to Austin H. Welch, Sargent st.

Society of the First Congregational church, Lowell, to First Congregational church, Lowell, Merrimack st.

Harry O. Muhne et ux. to Mary J. Dix, Boylston st.

Harry O. Muhne et ux. to Harry D. Dyer, Dyer st.

Horace F. Allen to Alfred Peterson, Duran st.

Ara B. Kanzabedian est. by adm. to Jonathan B. Kanzabedian, Linden st.

Arthur Genest to Nelson Nadeau, et ux. Phoenix ave.

Eliza French to Max Cobb, et ux. Dyer st.

W. E. McNabb, new store front for building at 21 Adams street, estimated cost, \$500.

Alfred Peterson, change shop at 22 Duren avenue to one-family dwelling, estimated cost, \$2500.

Jaques Bousvert, one-family dwelling at 65 Delard street, estimated cost, \$3400.

P. E. McNabb, new store front for building at 21 Adams street, estimated cost, \$500.

Alfred Peterson, change shop at 22 Duren avenue to one-family dwelling, estimated cost, \$2500.

James A. Somers, garage at rear of 104 Woodward avenue, estimated cost, \$75.

Wilmer Andrews, dormer window on roof of building at 122 Mt. Washington street, estimated cost, \$160.

Ida M. O'Hearn, dormer window in building at 54 Cogswell street, estimated cost, \$50.

John Musson, new plaza at 229 Pine street, estimated cost, \$100.

Russell and French, change one-family dwelling at 15 Belmont street over to two-family dwelling, estimated cost, \$550.

DECLARES END OF ERA OF EXTRAVAGANCE NEAR

WASHINGTON, April 2.—National reports from federal reserve bank officials disclosed their opinion that the post-war era of "extravagance and recklessness" by the public is nearing its end.

"A hesitation, if not an actual recession," of prices is noted, and the federal reserve board's statement summarizes its advice as indicating a generally more hopeful view of the country's business condition than for several months.

While the price changes were shown by the board not to be universal, they were, nevertheless, regarded as positive and of importance as a basis for reckoning what the immediate future holds.

Relief from the high prices for the consumer will not be completely obtained until present stocks are absorbed in practically all lines, according to the board's view. Manufacturers everywhere, however, were shown to hold the view that the peak of high prices has been reached and to expect a gradual recession.

In the clothing trade particularly, the board said, there is a marked tendency of the public to make old supplies last longer and to refuse to pay exorbitant prices. This phase can mean only that an awakening has come, and that many people have arrived at the conclusion that they are themselves responsible for a continuing high range of prices.

Wholesalers in the dry goods trade, to some extent, have taken a "commodatary attitude" and are discouraging their customers from placing heavy fall orders. This has served to stoke demand and create a feeling that lower prices will follow.

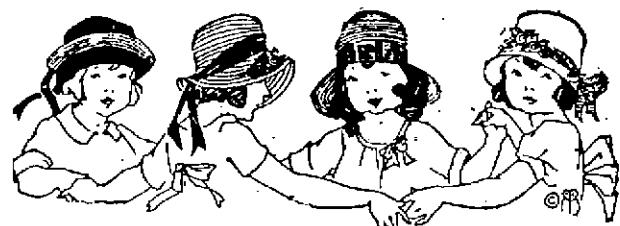
The reports do not give encouragement concerning a price reduction in shoes. There is, however, a wide divergence of opinion as to what shoe and leather prices will do.

Eastern seaboard cities reported "a piling up of commodities" on this side of the Atlantic. The exchange situation was beginning to reflect itself on the export market as well as through a general reduction by Europeans in their foreign buying, it was noted.

"The outlook for the spring season, both industrially and agriculturally, is excellent," it is stated. "But modifying factors in the situation are an inadequacy of labor supply and shortage of various kinds of building materials, as well as borrowing facilities of banks.

Open a new account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank this week. The amount of same will draw interest from Saturday, April 3rd.

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Easter Hats

FROM

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They are of hair braid, Milan, lace, hemp and of all the shining new braids, trimmed with gay flowers and fruits and ribbons. The colors are black, brown, navy, purple, Alice, henna, red, jade and green.

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Clever and springlike and well made, too. These hats will please mothers and kiddies alike.

Easter Dresses for little girls and misses in newingham plaids, striking color combination, also many pretty solid colors. Youthful models with trimmings to match, from \$1 to \$5.98.

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Children's Rompers, made of good percale, gingham and pongee, in all colors, from **98¢ to \$2.00**

A full line of Confirmation Dresses, and as usual, at low prices.

Boys' Easter Knickerbocker Suits in fancy mixtures and all wool blue serges, from **\$1.98 to \$18.00**

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SLIGHT DECREASE IN DEATH RATE

There was another slight decrease in the death rate this week, there being 42 deaths reported in comparison with 41 the preceding week. The rates were 20.20 and 21.19. There were 12 deaths of children under one year of age. Infectious diseases caused four deaths, pneumonia four, bronchitis four and tuberculosis four.

Infectious diseases reported included the following: Diphtheria, 5; Scarlet fever, 3; typhoid fever, 1; measles, 1; tuberculosis, 3, and influenza 3.

WATER STILL HIGH IN NO. BILLERICA

The waters of the Concord river which completely marooned the dwelling of Richard Kidder near the Wardway bridge in North Billerica until a few days ago have retreated, but still the swollen stream overruns the back yard of the house, floods the green houses, swamps the walks, isolates the hen coops, makes the hen yard a duck pond, spreads up to the rear door steps as if they were the gang plank of a ship, completely browses the berry bushes set out as a border to the lawn on one side of the house, and fills the cellar up to its windows.

Kindling wood, light lumber, whatever vegetables were stored there, and wooden tools float and twirl about on the water in the cellar ever so much nearer the occupants above, yet ever so far from use. Hens are still protected in the attics during the night, and early in the morning are let out onto the scanty damp spots in front of the house. The two hen houses are like small boats. Yesterday, two pigs, which were rescued from the danger of drowning in their pens and sheltered upon the piazza when the flood was at its height, were led out over the plank walks to the hen houses where they now snort surrounded by water and thick mud to the depth of three and four feet.

Gardens and surrounding grass plots are all submerged and ducks fly sport where once the most timid of them could strut with safety. Two men, dwellers in the house, were carried in hip boots this morning taking walks over the mud and making secure the door of the improvised pens to prevent the animals from getting out and losing themselves in the mud or drowning. Mr. Kidder estimates that the loss from damage to his house and adjacent property will amount to \$1000.

The Concord river from North Billerica to Lowell has spread out over its banks, taking hen coops and shanties within its reach, running over the low lands either turning them into swamps or making miniature lakes of them. In the rear of the U. S. Cartridge plant in South Lowell the water spreads way up towards the main road, surrounds sheds and barns and floods the lands usually available for planting at this time.

NURSES REFUSED

PAY INCREASE

Mayor Perry D. Thompson has refused an increase in pay to five nurses employed in the health department, who assert that they are receiving nearly \$300 a year less than nurses employed in the school department. His refusal is based on the grounds that he hasn't sufficient money to grant the request.

The public health nurses are now receiving \$1035 a year, while the school nurses get \$1200. The latter work only ten months in the year.

The Joy Of A Perfect Skin
Know the joy and happiness that comes to one thus possessing a skin of purity and beauty. The soft, distinguished appearance it renders brings out your natural beauty to its fullest in use over 70 years.

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"On Time!"
"Why, how did you do it, Ed?"
"Ah! I bought me a Gillette Razor last night and now I shave in 3 minutes!"
P.S. Ed came here last night for his Gillette.

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THE DRUGGIST
Everything for the Shaver

CITY OF LOWELL

NOTICE OF HEARINGS

The Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give hearings at its room, City Hall, Tuesday, April 20, 1920, at ten o'clock a. m. on the following petitions, to wit:

Tellie Lafamme

For a permit to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 172 School street.

Laple Coal Company

For a permit to keep, store and use gasoline, in and from a tank (500 Gal.) buried in the ground at premises 1010 Gorham street.

Millon D. LeBlanc

For a permit to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 65 Lane street.

By order of the Municipal Council.

STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.

April 3, 1920.

For Satisfactory Dealings
IN PLANTS, CUT FLOWERS AND
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McMANMON'S STORE

1 Peacock Street

Also for the plants and shrubs of all kinds it will pay you to call at the nursery—Lawrence car line. We grow our own stock.

DIOCESAN CENTRE FOR CATHOLIC WOMEN

In order to enable Lowell and its surrounding towns to do their share in a campaign to secure funds for the erection of a building in Boston as a diocesan centre for the Catholic women of this diocese, a compact campaign organization has been formed in the various parishes of this section under the general direction of Miss Alice T. Lee, president of the League of Catholic Women.

Each parish committee is headed by a chairman who will have charge of the campaign in her parish. All activities of Catholic women in the arch-diocese of Boston will centre in the new building and it is planned to make it a model club house with offices, rooms for permanent guests as well as transients, cafeteria and hall

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PUBLIC SCHOOL SAFETY DRIVE

Capt. Walter Jeyses, instructor of physical training in the public schools, will inaugurate an intensive campaign for safety in the public schools on next Monday morning. Though the campaign will consist of precepts which the captain has been drilling into the minds of the children ever since he took charge of the work in the schools many new ideas will be worked out and it is thought that in connection with the current safety first endeavor

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Now that President Wilson has withdrawn his name from the Georgia primaries, perhaps his republican enemies will feel more at ease. The third term bugaboo worried them very much. Now they can proceed to select their candidate and pile up enormous campaign funds.

THE EASTERTIDE

After the long and dreary winter and the blustering arrival of spring, we come to the Easter tide with anticipations of joy. Not within the memory of our oldest citizens, perhaps, have the people of this nation had such a sincere religious spirit at the Easter season as at the present time.

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THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

TRACK MEET ON THE SOUTH COMMON

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The starter will be Albert Waterman, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., with T. R. Williams, secretary for boys at the Y. M. C. A., as clerk of course. The assistant clerk of the course will be Patrick Mullane, the crack long-distance runner of the high school. The judges will be Captain Winfred C. MacLayne, Robert C. Paradis and John C. Ghick. Ernest A. Mollerand and Philip P. Brown will serve as timers. The announcer will be Paul McGregor.

The prizes will be a loving cup for the school team which makes the largest number of points; a small loving cup for each boy winning a first place in any event; ribbons for boys winning the relay race; ribbons for second and third places in each event.

The usual number of events will be run with the exception that there will be no shot-put or half-mile race for the smaller boys. In the half-mile a doctor's signature is necessary saying that the boy is in good condition to run. All the entries should be in by the 18th. Applicants can register with any of the officers or with Capt. Walter Jeyes at the Boys' club in Dutton street who is the chairman of the committee.

It has been estimated that the value of unclaimed waste material in the United States, in the form of paper, rubber, metals, etc. is about \$500,000,000.00.

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Outlines His Policy in Campaign for Republican Presidential Nomination

Withdraws Name as Candidate of Any Other Party—Always a Republican

Explains Why He Urged Support of Wilson in Last Campaign

NEW YORK, April 3.—Herbert Hoover, who has announced he is ready to accept the republican presidential nomination, if it is demanded of him, issued a statement today in which he requested he be not further embarrassed by suggestions of some independents that his name be placed before any other party, as "a primary sense of team work in any party organization would preclude such a possibility."

Mr. Hoover said he had no great record of partisan activity and "admitted" that his political activity was confined to membership in a prominent republican club and allegiance to the party over a period of years. He added that because of his profession of a mining engineer, continual shift of residence had prevented him from exercising as much as he desired the privilege of every citizen at the polls.

Asserting that his administrative duties in various relief organizations would prevent him from making a personal canvass for the nomination, Mr. Hoover said he expected Hoover organizations throughout the country would have to expend certain amounts for printing and other expenses, but that he hoped they would confine themselves to minor subscriptions and expenditures and would be prepared to open their books to public inspection.

Mr. Hoover requested that men and women advocating his nomination, "bear in mind that personal criticism of the other names before the party is chiefly of service to the opposition."

"All these men," he said, "are patriotic, honorable Americans. They have all served the country well and are entitled to respect."

Because he had refused to allow his name put into the primaries, Mr. Hoover declared that there was "little organization" on his behalf, and, at this late date, no organization is possible that could compete with other organizations. He urged that his supporters confine their energies "to promotion of their views to the country and the delegates already named, with full respect to their prior pledges."

Mr. Hoover said that he had no expectation that his entrance into the presidential race would be welcomed by the type of person who conceives that fitness for office, patriotism and citizenship, depend upon placing sheer partisanship above national interest or who require years of demonstrated participation in work with mechanical politicians."

"I cannot assist these people with explanations trying to prove that I belong to their class," he added.

"Some people of this sort feel great trouble of mind that in a letter addressed to a friend last year I expressed my alarm at the then growing partisanship and pressed the need for unity of action between legislative and executive branches of the government, while we were still faced with the

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Open Today

—THE
New York
Restaurant

212 CENTRAL STREET
Opened Its Doors

TODAY

At 11 O'Clock in Forenoon

NEW EQUIPMENT
THROUGHOUT

Lady Watiers

Cordial Invitation Extended
To All

INTEREST

BEGINS TODAY

Merrimack River

Savings Bank

228 CENTRAL ST.

The Old Bank in the New Building

CALL FIREMEN
WILL GET PAY

Writ of Mandamus Entitles
Them to Wages for Past
Two Months

City Council May Be Asked
to Declare Call Force
Abolished

The 11 call firemen who are to be restored to their positions in the local fire department as a result of the issuance of writs of mandamus by Judge Pierce in the supreme court yesterday will be entitled to their pay from Feb. 1 of this year up until the time they are restored to their places in the department by Commissioner John P. Salmon.

This will cost the city approximately \$160, if the men are restored at once. During the two months that they

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TOLEDO AGAIN
WITHOUT CARS

Trolley Service Suspended for
Fourth Time Within Four
Years

Strike Follows Failure of
City Council to Ratify
Agreement

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 3.—This city is again without street car service for the fourth time in less than four years. Following refusal of the city council to ratify an agreement reached between Mayor Schreiber and officials of the Toledo Railways and Light Co., providing for an increase in fares

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ATTACK ON BOTH
SIDES OF DVINA

Bolsheviki Launch Big Drives
as Preliminary to Attack on
Northern Front

Fighting at Various Points—
Lettish Report Says Bol-
sheviki Repulsed

WARSAW, April 2.—(By Associated Press)—The Bolsheviks launched attacks yesterday on both sides of the river Dvina, apparently in the beginning of their threatened drive on the northern front designed to carry them in the direction of Vilna. Fighting at various points on this front is reported in the Lettish communiques today. One of the Lettish statements announces the re-

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Big Forces of British Troops In
Ireland to Prevent Any
Possible Outbreak

German Government Troops Advance

THE HAGUE, April 3.—The general advance of the German government troops along the entire front against the insurgent forces in the Ruhr and neighboring industrial regions which began at 7 o'clock Friday morning, has been very successful, according to well informed Dutch sources. The right wing of the advancing troops forced the Reds to retreat across the Testenberg, and the government forces have already penetrated Hamm. At the center of the front the government troops have taken Recklinghausen, 13 miles northwest of Essen, driving the Reds before them, while the left wing is advancing from Hamm westward. The resistance of the Red army, which is reported not under the control of its nominal leaders, is said to have been generally weak.

HEAVY GUARD
AROUND DUBLIN

Unusual Military Activity
Noted in Many Places—
All Vehicles Searched

Roads to Londonderry Guarded—Violent Scenes Among
Sinn Fein Prisoners

Many Arrests Made at Limerick by Soldiers—House
Searched

LONDON, April 3.—Reports from many parts of Ireland indicate that the government is taking no chances of a possible materialization of the rumored Sinn Fein plot for an Easter revolution. Londonderry, Dublin and other places, the reports said, were the center of extreme military activity, a stringent watch being maintained and all travelers searched and identified.

Elaborate preparations are being made to handle any possible untoward situations. Thus far, however, all newspaper reports from Ireland declare there is no Sinn Fein plot and that no uprising is expected. Therefore, the government measures are interpreted here as merely precautionary and not necessarily indicating that the authorities expect trouble.

Many Arrests
LIMERICK, Munster, Ireland, April 3.—Numerous arrests were made early today by the military and many houses were searched. The reasons for the actions of the military are unknown.

Armed Troops on Guard
LONDON, April 3.—Armed troops were on duty along all roads leading

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ONE-WAY THOROUGHFARE

Chamber of Commerce Considers Prescott Street One-Way Proposition

A project to make Prescott street a one-way thoroughfare and thus avoid traffic congestion is under consideration by the chamber of commerce and will probably be brought to a stage for definite discussion at a meeting of the chamber's committee on streets to be held next Friday.

Agitation for making this street a one-way affair has been going on for some time but it is understood that some of the merchants with places of business on the street are opposed to the idea, believing that it may injure their business. On the other hand, arguments have been advanced to the effect that the narrow nature of the thoroughfare tends to congest traffic. The street railway company has used it as a one-way street for years, sending its cars from Merrimack square in the direction of Central street but never in the opposite direction.

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ARREST BRITISH ENVOY

Imprisoned by Serbians While
on Investigation Into Montenegro for Government

PARIS, April 3.—Count de Salis, formerly British minister to Montenegro, and lately on a special mission to the vatican for the British government, has been arrested and imprisoned by the Serbians while executing a mission of investigation into Montenegro for the British government. This information is contained in a declaration made to King Nicholas of Montenegro, who is now in Paris, by the Montenegrin foreign minister.

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OPEN SATURDAYS
All Day and Evening

Have a System

If you would prosper, start a Savings Account.

Add to it as you go along, and almost before you know it you will have a tidy sum drawing interest.

OLD LOWELL
NATIONAL BANK

OLDEST BANK IN LOWELL

NOTICE
Rehearsal of Broadway

Glee Club

At Associate Hall at 12

TOMORROW

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OPEN SATURDAYS
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Tabernacle

Tonight, 7.30

Don't Miss This

Men's Parade

Leaves Post Office 7.10 for

Tabernacle, Headed by

Evangelist Stephens

And Salvation Army Band. Men,

Spread the News! You and

Friends "Fall In"

TOMORROW

Only Service 6.30 P. M.

STEPHEN'S SUBJECT

"THE UNANSWERABLE

QUESTION"

Special Easter Music

Large Chorus Choir

OVERFLOW MEETING AT

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH

Campaign Ends Next Week

Watch Papers Daily

TRADES WOMEN FOR TEACHERS

Women between the ages of 21 and 45 now employed in millinery, dressmaking or cooking (cooking applicants must have taken or be willing to take a course in the principles of cooking) who wish to increase their income by teaching in evening schools should apply for admission to the training class in the corps and graduate class in

RAP'S STATE DEPARTMENT

FIRE PROTECTION FOR THE HIGHLANDS

Further fire protection for the Highlands will be forthcoming next Monday when a second new piece of motorized apparatus within a few weeks will be installed in that section of the city. The new chemical and ladder truck recently ordered by Commissioner John F. Salmon is due to arrive here Monday and will be put in the Branch street house. A short time ago a triple-combination pumping engine was installed in the Westford street house, thus giving the Highlands two up-to-date pieces of motorized apparatus in addition to the old equipment previously there.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

March

16—To Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hurdle, of 115 Marlboro street, a son.
18—To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Vigneault, of 717 Moody street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Georges Heriard of 3 Queen street, a son.
19—To Mr. and Mrs. Hormidas Duchesne of 36 Phoebe street, a son.
20—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tessier of 52 Sevenoak street, a daughter.
22—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. Bavaeuse of 8 Griffon street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Hector Malloux of 496 Moody street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Amédée Laroche of 571 Moody street, a daughter.
23—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turney of 614 Broadway, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy of 77 Austin street, a son.
24—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Johnson of 30 Wilson street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bolesteau of 13 Robert street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Boleslaw Sawicki of 17 Durant street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Brien of 16 Church street, a son.
25—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hubbard of 251 Central street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Castellano of 64 Summer street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Kuk of 53 Summer street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Francois X. Berubo of 209 Salem street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Kuk of 53 Summer street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel A. Masedonio of 11 Bradford st., a son.
26—To Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Waterworth of 7 Hudson street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James Casey of 46 June street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James Donlan of 234 Adams street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hickey of 157 West London street, a son.
27—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Prince of 36 Walnut street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John L. Phelps of rear 23 Boynton street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Robinson of 18 Grand street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wasielewski of 4 John street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Roby of 112 Ennel street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gringshaw of 19 Merrill street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. David Black of 35 Anderson street, a daughter.
28—To Mr. and Mrs. James J. Lafferty of 20 Chelmsford street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George McCarthy of 77 West Fourth st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Downs of 23 Cross st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. George P. Gibbons of 25 Elm street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Mathews of 72 Headland st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Vazcelos of 64 Butterfield st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Elias Houpp of 125 May Vernon st., a son.
29—To Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Dupuis of 26 West Sixth st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. James Watson of 190 High st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Telephone Tanguay of 37 Wiggin st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Mathews of 52 Headland st., a son.
30—To Mr. and Mrs. John P. McPhelim of 17 Ward st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Painchaud of 83 Dalton st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Nunes of 177 Tremont st., a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes of 67 Billerica st., a daughter.
17—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds of Franklin st., a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Atkinson of 215 Aiken st., a daughter.
April 1—To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Austin of 49 Cedar st., a daughter.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending April 3, 1920

March

23—Mary Riley, 55, uremia.
26—James E. Bean, 27, pulm. tuberculosis.
Daniel C. Johnston, 59, cardiac failure.
Elizabeth J. Wolstenholm, 55, senility.
Mary S. Foster, 73, carcinoma.
Daisy B. Nash, 15 d., malformation of brain.
James Casey, 1 h., atelectasis.
Robert, 1 h., pat. foramen ovale.
Emma W. Graham, 52, pernicious anemia.
Susan F. Emery, 59, chr. nephritis.
Stanley Targ, 18, pulm. tuberculosis.
Helen A. Yarnum, 51, angina pectoris.
Marcus P. Fletcher, 32, old age.
Louis Mathieu, 52, arterio-sclerosis.
Simon Brennan, 75, hypertension.
Caroline H. Hobbs, 76, bronchopneumonia.
Mary Konka, 30, ac. nephritis.
Cecil Poulin, 9 m., broncho-pneumonia.
Nicolas Christoforos, 11 d., thrombosis.
Irene Dubreuil, 13 d., cap. bronchitis.
Manuel S. Silva, 50, valv. disease of heart.
Sarah Wade, 71, broncho-pneumonia.
Irene V. Gallagher, 6, endocarditis.
David C. Stanley, 55, uremic coma.
Hector Rousseau, 11, tubercular abscess.
Edward Martin, 6 h., prem. birth.
Oscar Peterson, 33, burns.
Jose Covela, 30, postoperative peritonitis.
George Blner, 37, burns.
Edward G. Campbell, 4 m., ac. bronchitis.
Philip Laemmie, 59, endocarditis.
Budget Hunt, 71, arterio-sclerosis.
Vasile Fourtounis, 10, cardio-renal disease.
Augustus McCarthy, 3 d., portal obstruction.
Mary F. Parsons, 65, peritonitis.
David J. Phelps, 4 d., pat. foramen ovale.
Joseph Clonatre, 54, cancer.
Edmond Gill, 41, cer. hemorrhage.
April 1—Kunzunda Radzik, 22, pulm. tuberculosis.
Marie B. G. Roy, 15 d., ac. bronchitis.
2—Archeleas Salepacos, 11 m., broncho-pneumonia.
Albert S. Allen, 25, septic peritonitis.
STEPHEN FLYNN, City Clerk.

16,500 R. R. SWITCHMEN TO STRIKE MONDAY

CHICAGO, April 3.—Sixteen thousand, five hundred railroad switchmen in the Chicago terminals will walk out before Monday morning, causing complete suspension of freight traffic, unless the demands of 700 striking employees of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road are granted, John Grunau, leader of the strikers, announced today.

Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, with which the switchmen are affiliated, declared, however, that Grunau's organization, the Chicago yardmen's association, is an "outlaw" union and he had no authority to speak for brotherhood members.

A. V. Whitney, vice president of the brotherhood, is co-operating with officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul in an effort to break the "illegal" strike called by Grunau.

Money deposited in the Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank on or before Saturday, April 3d, begins to draw interest from that date.

CITY OF LOWELL

NOTICE OF HEARINGS

The Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give hearings at its room, City Hall, Tuesday, April 20, 1920, at ten o'clock a.m. on the following petitions, to wit:

Local Taxpayers
For a permit to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 172 School street.

Local Taxpayers
For a permit to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 1010 Gorham street.

Milton D. LeBlanc
For a permit to conduct and maintain a garage at premises 55 Lane street.

By order of the Municipal Council,
STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.

April 3, 1920.

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Housing Problem Solved to Some Extent in Worcester



A one-family house at Indian Hill Village, Worcester, Mass.

(N.E.A. Staff Special)

WORCESTER, April 3.—Houses for workers—the problem that is the bugaboo of every city in the United States—has been solved here, in part at least.

In 1915, the Norton Co., then having 3700 employees, was faced by the problem of big "labor turnover" because of inadequate, insufficient housing.

The company determined to build—not the usual "company houses" which have failed to solve the housing problem anywhere, but a model industrial village. It called in one of the best planners and architects in the country.

A 33-acre site, several miles from the heart of the city, near Indian

THE INDIAN HILL PLAN

The Indian Hill Co. gives each purchaser a schedule showing the required monthly payments. The following table (1915 figures) shows the principal of financing these homes:

Total total purchase price is	\$3,851.50
You make first payment of 10 per cent	385.15
You borrow on a mortgage, the balance	3,466.35
The amount due in 13 years secured by time note, is	1,000.00
The balance, secured by demand note	2,466.35
Your monthly interest due, your first 13 years	14.45
Your monthly payment to co-operative bank will be	6.00
Total monthly payments during first 12 years	10.45
Your monthly payment after 12 years will be	10.00

lake, on a lofty ridge, with a beautiful view over open country, was selected.

Indian Hill is Model

Today it is the industrial village of "Indian Hill," one of the most successful housing developments in the United States. The workers are all happy.

The Indian Hill Co., a subsidiary of the Norton Co., was formed to carry out the development, with a view to individual ownership, permanency and contentment in employment, and resultant general efficiency.

Indian Hill has no gridiron of streets, no asphalt paving, no rows

of houses of intolerable sameness. The streets wind about the natural grades.

The first 55 houses were built in two operations during the summers of 1915 and 1916. The houses are white frame, and have slate roofs.

Parks and Clubs

In addition to one and two-family houses, Indian Hill has a dining hall, the Slatucket Inn, a boarding house for bachelors, embodying the features of a club, a similar institution for bachelor girls of the office force, a chapel and a recreation hall.

There are large parks, small parks and children's playgrounds.

The Indian Hill Co. requires from the purchaser an initial payment of 10 per cent of the purchase price, whereupon a conveyance of the property is made. For the balance the purchaser gives two notes, one for \$1000, payable in 12 years at 5 per cent, and another for the balance of the purchase price, payable on demand, with interest at 3 per cent, both notes being secured by a purchase money mortgage.

The purchaser gives also a supplementary agreement to the effect that he will purchase in a co-operative bank five shares, and will continue payments thereupon until his deposits shall have matured in the sum of \$1000.

Buyers Feel Independent

This insures the payment of the 12-year note according to its terms. It gives the purchaser a feeling of independence. Inasmuch as he does not make periodical payments on the principal to the company, and enables him to become acquainted with co-operative bank methods.

In consideration of this agreement the company agrees not to make demand upon the demand note as long as the purchaser shall continue to make monthly payments of interest to the company and payments to the bank.

The result is that at the end of 12 years, a sufficient proportion of the purchase price has been paid so that the purchaser owns the property free except a first mortgage for not over 60 per cent of the value of the property, so that he can go to a bank for a mortgage, if he wishes, and be independent of the company.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Good Friday services were held at the First Universalist church last evening, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Caleb E. Fisher, D.D., who preached on "The Seven Last Words of Christ."

The congregation was large and the services were beautiful in its relation

to the observance of Easter time.

Appropriate music was sung by the church quartet.

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The Bon Marché

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SAVE MEAT FRYINGS AND
REDUCE BUTTER BILL

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If every pint of meat fryings is saved, the butter and lard bills may be noticeably reduced.

I have a small, straight crock that I keep meat fryings in. After cooking meat of any sort it is a simple matter to strain the fat into the crock.

For fried potatoes or frying of any sort where lard would be used, with the exception, of course, of deep fat frying, I use meat fryings or "drippings," as our mothers called them.

These drippings are much better than lard or any of the substitutes, for there is a rather meaty taste that gives an added richness. Food seems less greasy, too, cooked without lard.

Menu for Tomorrow

Breakfast—Wheat cereal with figs, grapefruit marmalade, toast, coffee.

Luncheon—Sausages with potato cakes, rye muffins, lemon pudding, tea. Dinner—Broiled lamb chops, buttered carrots, fried whole potatoes, mint jelly, prune and cheese salad, date pudding, coffee.

My Own Recipes

The rather bitter tang of grapefruit marmalade is especially welcome to faded spring appetites at breakfast time. There are several brands of grapefruit marmalade on the market that are very good and not too expensive. However, if one makes the marmalade at home the bitter taste may be controlled and be just as one would like it.

SAUSAGES WITH POTATO CAKE

Four individual sausages
Mashed potatoes
Salt and pepper
Milk or cream

Poke sausages with steel fork, pour over enough boiling water to prevent burning and simmer five or 10 minutes. Drain off water and put sausages in a moderate oven. Cook 15 or 20 minutes. Season hot or cold mashed potatoes with salt and pepper and milk or cream. If cold heat and beat until very light. Shape into flat round cakes. Dip in flour and fry in the sausages fat. Arrange sausages in the center of a chop plate with potato cakes around, garnish with parsley and serve.

LEMON PUDDING

1 lemon
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
3 tablespoons flour
2 cups milk
1/2 teaspoon salt
Graham crackers.

Beat whites and yolks of eggs separately. Mix flour and part of milk to a smooth paste; add juice and grated rind of lemon. Add sugar and the rest of the milk. Pour onto the well beaten yolks of eggs. Discard a pie dish with graham crackers, pour in custard and bake in a moderate oven till firm to the touch. Beat whites of eggs till stiff and dry, add two tablespoons of powdered sugar. Spread over top of pudding and brown in quick oven.

Open a new account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank this week. The amount of same will draw interest from Saturday, April 3rd.

ALMOST GRAZED
BY HEADACHES

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" Is The Only
Remedy That Gave Lasting Relief



MISS NELLIE WILLIAMS

North Dighton, Mass.

"Since a young girl, I have suffered with Sick Headaches, and at times I was almost crazy with the pain. My mother tried everything she could hear of, yet she was never able to get anything to do me any good.

Six months ago, someone told me about 'Fruit-a-tives' and I got a box and obtained much relief.

Now I keep 'Fruit-a-tives' in the house all the time; in fact I would not be without them. I cannot speak too highly of 'Fruit-a-tives' as this is the one remedy that truly helped me.

I am always glad to recommend 'Fruit-a-tives' to anyone suffering with Headaches and hope that those who read about my experience will profit by it and try 'Fruit-a-tives'."

Miss NELLIE WILLIAMS,
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c.
At dealers or from FRUIT-A-TIVES
Limited, OGDENSBURG, N. Y.

SLIGHT DECREASE
IN DEATH RATEBILLERICA MAY
BUILD AUDITORIUM

At a recent town meeting in North Billerica, a committee was appointed by the assembly to meet a representative committee of the American Legion Post 116 of that section, to discuss the proposition of the erection of an auditorium in the town. This proposition has been floating in rumors about the town for some time and it is now thought that the committee appointed will decide quickly as to whether it is advisable to build such a structure.

As expressed by some of the residents of the town, the legion will vote favorably for an auditorium near the town center. Considering the fact that the North Billerica post of the legion is quite large, some of the members expressed the opinion that it would not be too ambitious an undertaking to erect an entirely new building instead of purchasing a structure which would need constant repairs.

Infantile diseases reported included the following: Diphtheria, 5; Scarlet fever, 3; typhoid fever, 1; measles, 1; tuberculosis, 3, and influenza 3.

NURSES REFUSED
PAY INCREASE

Mayor Perry D. Thompson has refused an increase in pay to the five nurses employed in the health department, who assert that they are receiving nearly \$200 a year less than nurses employed in the school department. His refusal is based on the grounds that he hasn't sufficient money to grant the request.

The public health nurses are now receiving \$100 a year, while the school nurses get \$1200. The latter work only ten months in the year.

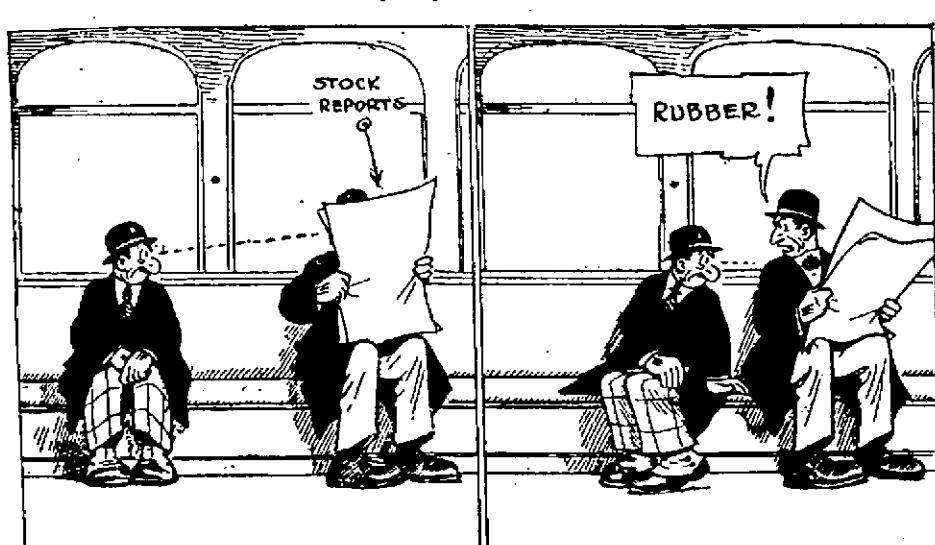
CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney fire at 46 Davis street shortly before 1 o'clock this afternoon was responsible for a still alarm. At 1 o'clock there was a telephone alarm for a grass fire in Mammoth road. No damage.

Own a "Duff" — You'll like it.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

Tom Thinks Everybody Is Interested in Rubber



BY ALLMAN

WATER STILL HIGH
IN NO. BILLERICA

The waters of the Concord river which completely inundated the dwelling of Richard Kidder near the Fordway bridge in North Billerica until a few days ago have retreated, but still the swollen stream overruns the back yard of the house, floods the green lawns, swamps the walks, isolates the hen coops, makes the hen yard a duck pond, spreads up to the rear door steps as if they were the gang plank of a ship, completely drowns the berry bushes set out as a border to the lawn on one side of the house, and fills the cellar up to its windows.

Kindling wood, light lumber, whatever vegetables were stored there, and wooden tools float and twirl about on the water. In the cellar ever so much nearer the occupants above, yet ever so far from use. Hens are still protected in the attic during the night, and early in the morning are let out onto the scanty damp spots in front of the house. The two henhouses are like small boats. Yesterday, two pigs, which were rescued from the danger of drowning in their pens and sheltered upon the plaza when the flood was at its height, were led out over the plank walks to the hen houses where they now snort surrounded by water and thick mud to the depth of three and four feet.

Gardens and surrounding grass plots are all submerged and ducks idly sport where once the most timid of hens could strut with safety. Two men, dwellers in the house, were garbed in hip boots this morning laying walks over the mud and making secure the door of the improvised pen to prevent the animals from getting out and losing themselves in the mud or drowning. Mr. Kidder estimates that the loss from damage to his house and adjacent property will amount to \$1000.

The Concord river from North Billerica to Lowell has spread out over its banks, taking hen coops and shanties within its reach, running over the low lands either turning them into swamps or making miniature lakes of them. In the rear of the U. S. Cartidge plant in South Lowell the water spreads way up towards the main road, surrounds sheds and barns and floods the land usually available for planting at this time.

A child should be taught that to stop, look and listen may mean that at some time it may save his or her life. Before you attempt to cross any street look in both directions and don't take any chances saying, "Well, I can beat that auto, or that team." Don't.

"One person at work is worth two in the hospital.

"Any fool can be careless.

"Don't taste everything that you see. Poison is sweet. Safety first.

"Make your mind a temple of learning. Be able to think for yourself.

"Don't be a Jay-walker. Cross the streets at the places made for you.

"Keep away from the mob. Nearly every person who gets hurt is the one who has no business being there.

"If you stepped upon a nail protruding from a piece of board would you leave it there or take care of it? If your step-ladder needed a nail to make it safe would you do it tomorrow? Remember the old adage, 'A stitch in time saves nine.'

"If you can't swim, learn how. Until you know how to be sure that you don't go beyond your depth. They say that drowning is a very pleasant death, but don't try it.

"Do you know the number of fire alarm boxes nearest your home? Do you know how to handle a fire extinguisher?

"Live electric wires are dangerous at all times, so let them alone. Electricity is fine for light and power. Safety first.

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"Learn how to roll a blanket or rug to extinguish a person's clothes when on fire."

CROWD THAT FILLS TABERNACLE
BEARS THE "CRUCIFIXION"

BY BIG CHORUS CHOIR

The "Crucifixion," one of the most

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The tabernacle was filled to overflowing and the majesty of Stainer's composition has seldom been more effectively brought out in this city, at least. Several hundred were turned away with tickets calling for reserved seats in the tabernacle next Tuesday evening, when the cantata will be repeated.

An outstanding feature of the singing last night was the immediate response of the chorus to the director's slightest nod. For a body of untrained voices, the sense of feeling between singers and director was unusually prominent and, of course, reflected a great deal of credit upon Mr. Bittikofer, who has conducted all the rehearsals.

A small organ secured for the occasion was played by Arthur C. Spalding, while piano accompaniments were played by E. E. Young of the Stephens' party.

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WOMAN BORN IN HOUSE WHERE
NAPOLEON DIED PASSES
AWAY

CHICAGO, April 3.—Mrs. Mary A. Kinzie, who was born in the house in which Napoleon Bonaparte died, died here yesterday. Mrs. Kinzie's father was the British government's custodian of the Longwood mansion, Island of St. Helena, where Napoleon spent his last days.

To stimulate the safety movement among miners and metallurgical plants, the bureau of mines will hold a national first aid and mine rescue contest, at Denver, Colo., Aug. 20-21.

DIOCESAN CENTRE FOR
CATHOLIC WOMEN

In order to enable Lowell and its surrounding towns to do their share in a campaign to secure funds for the erection of a building in Boston as a diocesan centre for the Catholic women of this diocese, a compact campaign organization has been formed in the various parishes of this section under the general direction of Miss Alice T. Lee, president of the League of Catholic Women.

Each parish committee is headed by a chairman who will have charge of the campaign in her parish. All activities of Catholic women in the arch-diocese of Boston will centre in the new building and it is planned to make it a model club house with offices, rooms for permanent guests as well as transients, cafeteria and hall

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PUBLIC SCHOOL

SAFETY DRIVE

Capt. Waller Jeyes, instructor of physical training in the public schools, will inaugurate an intensive campaign for safety in the public schools on next Monday morning. Though the campaign will consist of precepts which the captain has been drilling into the minds of the children ever since he took charge of the work in the schools, which are under the physical instruction of Capt. Jeyes, has a copy of safety first rules which are supposed to be read to the children frequently during the week. Mr. Jeyes is a firm believer that all rules along this line are more effective among the children if they contain a little sharpness, a little quip, something that will instill them with the spirit of snapiness. His idea is evident in the following rules:

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Now that President Wilson has withdrawn his name from the Georgia primaries, perhaps his republican enemies will feel more at ease. The third term bugaboo worried them very much. Now they can proceed to select their candidate and pile up enormous campaign funds.

Hoover has come out in the open to seek the nomination of the republican party. He is as strongly for the League of Nations as is President Wilson. He would be an international president. If any trouble occurred in Europe, he would take a trip over to settle it, even though matters went to smash at home.

OPENING NIGHT SCHOOLS

The Knights of Columbus are making a very valuable contribution to the future of this nation by starting free night schools for ex-service men in the large cities of this country. These schools teach practical branches calculated to enable the men to better their condition. Already the membership is 100,000 and it is likely to reach 250,000 by June. Text books and supplies of all kinds are furnished free. Every man who served with the colors is welcomed to enter so far as the accommodations will permit. The expenses are paid from the fund which the "K. of C." had on hand for welfare work when the war ended suddenly. This money contributed by the people is being turned back to them in educational results that will help the most deserving class of men in the country. As in the distribution of supplies in Europe, what the Knights do in the educational line is entirely free. There is no such thing as merchandising allowed in the activities of the order.

FIRST STREET OVAL

We are glad to find the Chamber of Commerce taking up the question of establishing an athletic field on the First street oval. There is great need for a ball park in that vicinity and if one can be provided without making dangerous or ungraceful curves in the new public highway, the project should be carried out.

All that may be necessary to secure the park and at the same time preserve the graceful sweep of the highway may be a little skilful engineering.

When this question was broached some time ago, the state highway commission did not seem inclined to consider the park proposition seriously. Now, however, we understand the administration is changed and the present state highway officials show a willingness to meet the wishes of the public so far as that is feasible or practical.

The question arises, would a change in the plans at the present juncture cause any delay in the completion of the road. First street has been a disgrace to our city for years; and the sooner public travel is diverted from that route the better. The Chamber of Commerce, of course, will keep in mind the necessity of having the riverside boulevard finished as soon as possible.

SUB-POSTOFFICES

Of the two sub-postoffices located near Merrimack square, one is to be shifted to Prescott street and one discontinued. This does not indicate a tendency to continue serving the public as efficiently as in the past.

It seems that it is about time the government could afford to hire a separate location of its own near the square to be devoted entirely to postoffice business. Persons who enter a store to reach the sub-postal station, have reason to feel that they are interfering with the main business.

This is not as it should be. Uncle Sam should have a little store of his own down town in which to do business with the public. The present arrangement was not so bad before the parcel post attained such proportions; but now the business of a sub-postoffice cannot be properly transacted in a remote corner of a store devoted to other business. These things should be considered. Time is money. The merchants cannot afford to go to the postoffice, and they do not care to jostle through the customers of a grocery or other store in order to reach a sub-postal counter. The sub-postoffice near Merrimack square, and elsewhere for that matter, should be in a separate store where the patrons

ped and ready for action. These, however, do not alarm France as her army is well organized and capable of quick movement in any direction, whereas, the German forces have very little means of transportation. It is difficult to believe that France should thus be betrayed by her former allies in lieu of prospective gain in their own behalf, and it is most regretful that the United States should seem to be a party to that betrayal as a result of President Wilson's charge of militarism. France may be facilitated on possessing, at least for the present, all the military power that is necessary to enforce the treaty against Germany, and with the memory of German cruelty, not only in this war but in that of 1870, still fresh, she will not relax the terms of the German peace pact simply to comply with the diplomatic maneuvers of England to secure for herself favorable trade relations with Germany.

THE EASTERTIDE

After the long and dreary winter and the blustering arrival of spring, we come to the Easter tide with anticipations of joy. Not within the memory of our oldest citizens, perhaps, have the people of this nation had such a sincere religious spirit at the Easter season as at the present time.

SAFETY FIRST

Many events have occurred in the last three years to cause the people to think more seriously of spiritual things and to realize the necessity of obeying God's law as laid down in the Decalogue. Mighty men and mighty rulers who disregarded that law and calculated upon their ability to conquer the world, have found how vain was their hope, have been humbled in the dust; and others who may now assume the role of conquerors are likely to meet a similar fate if they similarly disregard God's law in their dealing with their fellowmen of subject nations.

For a time after the cessation of hostilities, it was supposed that we were to get away from the old rule of "might makes right"; but the present relations of European nations present even more jealousy than before the war, with this difference, that the nations are nearly all so far exhausted that they cannot enter upon military movements of extensive proportions.

Thus it is that the Resurrection worn will not find any great progress made toward a more practical application of the teachings of Christianity than before the war. There is an admission of the supreme efficacy of Christianity in solving all our human problems; but it is found more in theory than in practice. The nations hate each other just as heartily as ever and they are laying plans for the selfish advantage of one set over another set, so that the peace of the world is not a whit more secure now than before the great war when militarism was in its glory.

The battle for justice, freedom and righteousness has not made much progress and whether it will make any great advance in the near future depends upon a variety of circumstances.

One thing is certain, however, to wit, that real Christianity alone can remedy the condition of the world today and cause men and nations to do what is right rather than what is expedient, plausible or subservient to their sordid and selfish interests. There is as yet but little sign of a resurrection that would redeem the world from the injustice, oppression and selfishness that precipitated the great war.

FRANCE STANDS ALONE

It appears from recent developments that Premier Millerand has decided that France must draw away from the allies with which she fought the war, if she would protect herself against the machinations of Germany in securing radical changes in the treaty on pretense that they are impossible of fulfillment.

Already France has begun to realize that England and Italy are making concessions to Germany in order to secure trade advantages for their own benefit. France has, therefore, determined to insist upon the strict enforcement of the treaty regulations even if she has to send her army into Germany for that purpose. She is no longer acting in co-operation with her former allies. She has found that Premier Lloyd George has played a deceitful game in favor of his own country. Italy in this matter is backing England, and unfortunately, President Wilson, who pledged to France the support of the United States in case of necessity, comes out to declare that she is showing a militaristic spirit.

France is only taking steps to protect herself, to secure reparation from Germany and to insist that the provisions of the treaty be carried out. Despite treaty agreements, Germany has failed to furnish France with coal and she has also evaded the treaty provision requiring the disarming of her troops. Therefore for that matter, she should be in a

crossings and then to see that their course is clear. Older people will profit by practising the same rule. There are various types of accidents due to thoughtlessness that may easily be avoided by the exercise of a little care. One of these consists in stepping from a sidewalk without looking in both directions to see that there is no danger. Another is due to cutting across a street in the rear of a car that may conceal an auto going in the opposite direction. Many fatalities have resulted in this way. Still another is due to haste in turning blind corners. Scores of such cases might be mentioned to prove that the general public is reckless in regard to personal safety on the public streets. If the present Safety First campaign induces any large number of our people to exercise greater care for their own personal safety and the avoidance of accidents, it will certainly accomplish good results.

SEEN AND HEARD

Where you goin' on your vacation?

Lowell girls should resolve to buckle their overshoes next winter.

The barber shop is a great place for news that knows no censorship.

Now people know why Slims declined a medal. He preferred a hammer.

It dreams came true, some of us would feel mightily ashamed of our appearance at times.

Now that the tax date limit has passed, watch for the Easter array of new automobiles.

The kaiser still has lucky days. The crown prince has declined an opportunity to live near him.

Alisaid Pasha, military governor of Constantinople, has been arrested by the British. Alisaid too much.

Of course this is a suspicious old world, but it does seem as if engineers and other trainmen delight in keeping a crossing blocked.

The regular dyed-in-the-wool conservative will never be happy while a common workingman is permitted to express his opinion in public.

There is a story that an ill-starred diamond caused the kaiser's ruin. As a matter of fact it was a club held by Uncle Sam.

Self-determination is a compound word that will confound imperialists as long as one people wears the yoke of another.

A new German cabinet was formed quickly when Berlin ran out of gas. So that's what a cabinet member is for.

A Dayton physician says the old-fashioned nightcap is the best way to prevent flu—the wool cap; not the rye one.

Most of us do not pay as much attention to friendships as we used to. But it isn't our fault. We don't have as much time to devote to friends as we used to, and that is probably the most cruel blow that a busy world can give.

Muffs for Men

'Tis the very latest Atlantic City sensation. A perfectly normal looking, healthy, husky, young man came along in a rolling chair. He had both hands tucked snugly into a fur muff that matched the fur on his topcoat collar.

Don't Get Peed, Girls

Mrs. Catherine Sellin of Kan., Pa., has attained the age of 95. She did this, she asserts, by not wearing high-heels and no low-necked dresses, either of which, she says, is enough to kill a person.

Couldn't Find Jim

Becoming unmanageable on the viaduct, a Ford car swerved suddenly and plunged over into the street below. Its driver managed to catch on the broken railing. He hung for horrid moment on the brink of death, and then scrambled back to safety.

"Merciful powers!" ejaculated a pedestrian below. "What a narrow escape!"

"Shucks!" returned the gent from Jimpson Junction, who was on hand. "That wasn't no escape; it was just a trick of some kind. They can't fool me!"—Kansas City Star.

Not a "Scuse Me Table"

The other evening 5-year-old Joseph was over at his grandfather's house for supper. While they were eating, grandfather sneezed. He stopped his conversation a minute, and then just as he started to resume it, Joseph spoke up: "What do you say, grandpa?" he asked.

Grandfather looked mystified a minute; then again began to talk. Again Joseph persisted, "What do you say, grandpa?"

More mystified looks. Then Joseph informed him: "Grandpa," he said sweetly, "Isn't this a 'scuse me table like ours?"

Annie Laurie

"Maxwellton braces are bonnie. Where early fa's the dew. And it's there that Annie Laurie Gied me her promise true—"

Emma Cutler-Ferguson, a direct descendant of "Annie Laurie," is to marry this spring. Her husband-to-be is Major Vivian Eyr, late of the royal air forces. Her family home is Craigiarroch, Dumfrieshire, Scotland. It was there that "Annie Laurie" married Alice Ferguson, after jitting a lover who actually did "lie down and die" as he intimated he might be quite willing to do.

"Gied me her promise true. Which ne'er forsooth will be: And for Bonnie Annie Laurie I'd lay me down and die."

While Major Eyr isn't given to poetical effort, it is very probable that he has told Annie Laurie's 20th century descendants the same old, old story.

"For you I'd lay me down and die."



ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barker



The Little Mouse Asks Advice

"Would you mind giving me some mushroom, that that would be a good way to catch a cat, for it's a poor rule that won't work both ways. Pretend you're asleep, and when Mr. Cat comes purring along thinking he's safe as a bank, you pop out at him and say, 'You're caught. Just come along quiet, and if you don't make a rumpus I won't hurt you!'"

"Oh, I'm ever so much obliged," said Little Mouse, thankfully. "I'm not much of a hunter and I have to learn. I think I'll begin at once. There's a nice place near the path where he'll

come to sleep, and I'll go there and wait for him."

"How to catch a cat?" answered Little

"Mouse quickly."

"A Mouse never asked me for advice like that before," said the Mushroom in surprise. "Just let me think a minute, please." But he thought for two minutes, then he asked, "How does a cat catch mice?"

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YOU GO OVER THE
BUMPS - I'VE GOT
OUR BEST DISHES
IN THAT BASKET!



THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME

TRACK MEET ON THE SOUTH COMMON

Capt. Walter Joyes announced today that he had received permission to use the South common for the track meet, April 19, and assurance from the authorities that the oval would be in fit condition for use by that time. The park department has men at work regrading the cinder path and carting away the rubbish which has gathered during the winter. The committee and judges for the meet were chosen this morning.

The starter will be Albert Waterman, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., with T. R. Williams, secretary for boys at the Y. M. C. A., as clerk of course. The assistant clerk of the course will be Patrick Mullane, the crack long distance runner of the high school. The judges will be Captain Winfred C. MacBrayne, Robert C. Paradis and John C. Gillick. Ernest A. Mollerand and Phillip F. Brown will serve as timers. The announcer will be Paul McGregor.

The prizes will be a loving cup for the school team which makes the largest number of points; a small loving cup for each boy winning a first place in any event; ribbons for boys winning the relay race; ribbons for second and third places in each event.

The usual number of events will be run with the exception that there will be no shot-put or half mile race for the smaller boys. In the half-mile a doctor's signature is necessary saying that the boy is in good condition to run. All the entries should be in by the 18th. Applicants can register with any of the officers or with Capt. Walter Joyes at the Boys' club in Durton street who is the chairman of the committee.

It has been estimated that the value of unclaimed waste material in the United States, in the form of paper, rubber, metals, etc. is about \$500,000,000.

EVERETT TRUE

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk. A true copy of the libel and of the order thereon. Attest,

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas H. McMahon, also called Thomas McMahon, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by Annie Roserson, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A.D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of April, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

4-10-13

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Clara M. Roark, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to George V. Denot, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, without giving a surety on his bond.

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Upon the foregoing libel it is ordered that the libellee notify the libellee to appear before our Justices of said Court, at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of May next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order thereon to be published in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be 11 days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that the libellee be sent by registered letter to the said Court, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be 11 days at least before the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the registrars of the post office, in said libel, that he may then and there show cause. If any he have, why the prayer in said libel set forth should not be granted.

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To Albert M. McQuesten, your wife has presented to said Court her petition representing that by decree of said Court dated February 4, A.D. 1916, you were ordered to pay to said petitioner the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars forthwith, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per month, from March 1, 1916, to the 14th day of February, 1917, and that there was due the petitioner on March 14, A.D. 1920, the sum of fourteen hundred and twenty-eight dollars and twenty cents, for which execution for said sum may issue forthwith.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of April, A.D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, against the same. And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, in the said publication to be seven days, at least, before said Court.

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ENGINE PLUNGED THROUGH BRIDGE

**Freight Locomotive Dropped
Into Lake Champlain—En-
gine Stuck at Post**

**Went Down With Engine and
Miraculously Escaped In-
jury and Probable Death**

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 3.—The engine of freight train No. 33, of the Rutland railroad, plunged through the trestle bridge between Alburg and Rouses Point, and into the waters of Lake Champlain at 11:15 last night when the bridge gave way under the strain. No one was injured.

There were five men on the engine at the time of the accident, the fireman, engineer and three railroad men. The fireman and other railroad men jumped but the engineer went down with the engine and miraculously escaped injury and probable death. However, he managed to crawl from the cab and emerge from the water uninjured. The fact that the engine was going at the rate of but five miles an hour is what saved all from death. The bridge has been quite weak for some time and trains passing over it have used every precaution. The high waters and ice are the cause of the weakened condition of the bridge and when train No. 33 approached the bridge last night it had slowed down. As the train went onto the bridge the structure snapped under the strain and the engine plunged into the lake.

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**Pretty, new, distinctive styles in
trimmed millinery for ladies, misses,
and children, at moderate prices. The
Bouquet, 86-88 Bridge street.**

**John P. McCarthy of 9 Phil street,
this city, has just received a letter of
appreciation from the war depart-
ment, for offering his services during
the war as an army athletic director.
The letter is signed by Jonathan A.
Butler, secretary of the athletic divi-
sion of the war department.**

**Invitations have been issued for the
spring dance to be held under High-
land club auspices next Tuesday even-
ing. Features as novel as those
which marked the January and Feb. 22
dances have been arranged by the
committee and it is expected that sev-
eral hundred young people will enjoy
them. Dancing will be from 9 until 2
o'clock.**

**Grass fires were responsible for two
telephone alarms this forenoon, the
first in Dunbar avenue at 10:58
o'clock and the other in Christian
street at 11:10 o'clock. No damage.**

**HALF HOUR CAR SERVICE TO
WOOD'S CORNER—TYNGSBORO**

CARS ON HOUR SERVICE

**Beginning tomorrow and until fur-
ther notice, electric cars will operate
to Wood's corner in North Chelmsford
every half hour. According to the
new schedule cars leaving Merrimack
square on the hour will connect at North Chelmsford with
the Tyngsboro cars, while cars leaving
on the half hour will connect with a
car which will go as far as Wood's
corner only.**

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**WHAT IT MEANS IN THE
HOME**

**The THOR Electric Ironer is
the machine that banishes the
hot, heavy flat iron.**

**No more trudging back and
forth between stove and ironing
board—no more weary labor of
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the machine. Its polished "shoe"
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wrinkle and puts a wonderfully
beautiful gloss on every garment.**

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DEATHS

GAGNON—Henry Gagnon, aged 49 years, died yesterday in Providence, R. I., and the body was brought to this city by undertaker Joseph Albert today. Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters, Adela and Alexandre; his father, Antoine Gagnon of Canada; five brothers, Alfred, Edward, Alphonse, Joseph and Orson; and three sisters, Mrs. Robert Lafond, Mrs. Jean Lafond, Mrs. Louise Blodding, Mrs. Mederic Trudeau and Mrs. Amedee Bonheur.

KOLLOS—Spiros Kollos, aged 68 years, died yesterday at the Lowell General hospital. Deceased was a well known member of the local Greek community. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

WEBSTER—Charles W. Webster died yesterday at his home, 1779 Warren avenue, aged 59 years. He leaves his wife, Harriet A. Webster, one daughter, Lillian Webster, three sisters, Mrs. Frank Bancroft of Lowell, Mrs. George Martin of Wrentham, Miss Maud Webster of this city.

FUNERALS

PARSONS—The funeral of Mrs. Mary F. Parsons was held from her residence, Billerica road, West Tewksbury, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. John Singleton, pastor of the Lawrence Street Methodist church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. William McQuade and Miss Louise Garside. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. A delegation was present representing the Lucy Larcom club. The bearers were George Fallon, Robert Adams, Leslie Fields and William Fields. Burial was in the family lot in the Elmwood cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers C. H. Malloy's Sons.

GILL—The state and the city as well as numerous fraternal and social organizations were represented at the funeral of Edmund J. Gill, a former messenger at the state house and well known resident of this city. The long funeral cortège left the home of his sister of deceased, Mrs. John J. Hyde at 9:30 o'clock and wended its way to St. Jean Baptiste church, where at 10 o'clock a solemn Mass was chanted by Rev. Joseph A. Bolduc, assisted by Rev. Eugene Turcotte, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. L. N. Bachand, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. The choir, under the direction of L. N. Guilbault, rendered the Gregorian chant. The bearers were Arthur Pratte, Raymond Deschenes, J. B. Deschenes, George Doros, Edmund T. Tepner and Willie Rousseau, all close friends of deceased. The state house was represented by the following: Senator Frank H. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Ladd, Director of the department of mental diseases; Representative Ernest Larocque of Fall River, chairman of the committee of public institutions for which deceased acted as messenger; Rev. Charles M. Austin of Somerville; Rev. Joseph Hebrick of Ayer; Represen- tative Peter A. Achin, Victor F. Jewett, Adelard Berard, Owen E. Brennan, Thomas J. Corbett and Charles H. Slovay, all of Lowell. Richard Howland, state house reporter, also attended the funeral. In addition to the state house were the following mes- sengers: Wm. Curran, E. F. Brennan, F. Walsh, A. T. Galvin, George Sliverga, J. E. Stettinius, E. W. Kilbar- rick, H. P. Fornale and R. E. Forster. The city was represented by Commissioners George A. Starchand and Dennis A. Murphy. The fraternal and social organizations represented at the funeral were as follows: Lowell Lodge of Elks, Frank Ricard, Raymond Lodge of Elks, Frank Ricard, Raymond Lodge of Elks, Frank Ricard, John T. Lynch, Joseph Cayouette, John T. Burns, Armand V. Ricard and Hon. John T. Spokane, all of C.; Adolphe Brassard, Joseph Perron, Joseph Car- ron, Joseph Provost, Joseph Labrie and Gustave M. G. Fortier, Club Fleuret, of which deceased was presi- dent; Arthur Rousseau, French Adolphe Deschenes, Ernest Roy and Clovis Belanger, Club Safarit; Elie Del- iste, P. T. Tuccato, Joseph Parmentier and Tadeus Beaujard. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. L. N. Bachand, O.M.I. There was a wealth of floral tributes showing the ex- treme care which deceased was held. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedeo Archambault & Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the many friends, also the employees of Merrimack Mfg. Co., for their kindness and for the formal tributes sent at the death of my dear husband.

MRS. GEORGE RINER.

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**Regained flesh and strength
quickly, and tells how**

"I nearly died from 'flu' last October, and it left me with a terrible cough. The doctor gave me one bottle of medicine after another, but it did me no good. Went to Charlotte, N. C., and took treatment of a specialist without any permanent benefit.

"I saw Milks Emulsion advertised and started using it. It helped me right from the start. I had no appetite and my stomach was in bad shape. But 12 bottles have straightened me out entirely. I eat anything without distress, my cough is gone and I have gained back my strength and flesh."

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Famous Easter Sundays

Easter Sunday has been the occasion of many events famed in history. It has been a day of discovery, conquest and defeat.

EASTER, APRIL 16, 1865

The last armed action of consequence in the Civil War was the surrender of the Confederate munitions depot at Columbus, Ga., on Easter day, 1865. It was the second largest war depot of the Confederacy.

EASTER, APRIL 19, 1865

The division of the Isle of Crete into four provinces was made by the Turks on Easter Sunday, 1865. This was the beginning of the loss of the island to Turkey. The German rohrtug laid one of the foundations for the great war on Easter, 1898, when it passed a law greatly increasing the navy.

EASTER, APRIL 21, 1865

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EASTER, APRIL 23, 1816

The Dublin uprising against English rule called the "Easter riots" occurred in 1816. The "Republic of Ireland" was formed on that day.

EASTER, APRIL 24, 1816

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EASTER, APRIL 25, 1816

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EASTER, MARCH 31, 1916

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FUNERAL NOTICES

PICKETING OF BRITISH EMBASSY CALLED OFF

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Picketing of the British embassy by women favorable to an Irish republic was called off today by the leaders of the movement. Mrs. Thomas Corriss of New York, one of the leaders of the movement, said the state department was not responsible; that the department had not communicated with the women.

"We picketed the embassy on Good Friday," she said, "to remind Great Britain and the state department of the Crucifixion of Christ and to call attention that Ireland was being crucified."

Mrs. Corriss said it did not necessarily follow that because the pickets did not visit the embassy today that the picketing had been ended.

At the state department it was said that there were no developments in the situation. Secretary Colby announced yesterday that the department would take "effective measures" to end the picketing, but just what action was contemplated was not made clear.

It was understood that no action would be taken unless the women again appeared at the embassy.

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CONGRESS IMPORTUNED BY
SERVICE MEN IS IN QUANDARYSurvey of the Situation in Reference to the
Plans for Meeting Demands of the
Service Men---Demand for Bonus

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3.—"Bonus propaganda! Somehow it doesn't sound good to me," said a western congressman commenting on the propaganda for a soldiers' bonus which has just been launched. The congress man referred to is one whose devotion to the welfare of soldiers is too well known to be questioned. He pointed to a bunch of "circular letters" stacked high on his desk and to a hundred or more telegrams in capsule—while he had received, urging him to see to it that the ways and means committee recommend a bonus plan along the lines advocated by the American Legion. The fact is, members of congress are not over pleased at the heckling which seems to be aimed to secure their influence with the ways and means committee. Nor are the members of that committee pleased to have their loyalty to the soldiers thus questioned. It may prove to be a double-edged and cut both ways. While it calls the attention of congress to the determination of soldiers to secure a substantial bonus it has already done much to dispel the feeling that the boys who fought in the war were heroes or, in the words of the president, "crusaders." Whether or not destroying that sentiment will be off-set by the financial arguments put forth is something that cannot be predicted. Some of the men who have worked untiringly for measures bettering the condition of army men, are not over pleased to be flooded with letters and telegrams, as if nothing but vigorous prodding would bring them to terms. Moreover, congress has been flooded with all kinds of propaganda for the past ten years and is tired of it. It wants to help the soldiers who need help, and may be those who don't. But as things look now, heckling won't do any good.

The Situation

The situation in congress seems to be this: Practically every member is in favor of granting a bonus to men who need it. For those who are crippled, wounded, or who have played to hard luck since their return, through no fault of their own, they would provide handsomely. But for men who are in good physical condition and fairly well off in other ways, congress will hesitate to burden the country with excessive taxation. The ways and means committee, on whose shoulders rests the responsibility of a recommendation, realizes that while there were five million soldiers, there are also one hundred and five million civilians who must be considered in the problem. Taxation to meet a bonus would strike them all. To carry out the terms of the bonus desired by the officials of the American Legion, appropriation would run up into billions of dollars.

The official estimates run from two billion to four billion or more dollars. And congress will look pretty carefully into the matter before recommending such an addition to the great war debts we now have. "We will do whatever is necessary for all wounded, crippled or needy ex-soldiers anyhow; and we will do something for all. If we find the country can afford it," is a fair summing up of congressional sentiment at this moment. The plans of the ways and means committee are not made public, a tacit agreement that they will take the testimony, investigate the financial situation of the country and confer before making any definite individual statements.

Plans Considered

A number of bonus plans, or as the Legion prefers to call them "adjusted compensation" plans have been considered. One introduced by Congressman Treadway of Massachusetts is not favored by the Legion as it provides only for men who need it, and who secure an endorsement to that fact from the department commander of their state. The four plans advocated by the Legion are:

First—Land projects, which would make available to service men land credited to them to an amount equal

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Christ Is Risen

(According to Saint Luke)

Now, upon the first day of the week, very early in the morning, they came unto the sepulchre, bringing the spices which they had prepared, and certain others with them.

And they found the stone rolled away from the sepulchre.

And they entered in, and found not the body of the Lord Jesus.

And they talked together of all these things which had happened. And it came to pass that, while they communed together and reasoned, Jesus himself drew near, and went with them.

But their eyes were holden that they should not know him.

And it came to pass, as he sat at meat with them, he took the bread, and blessed it, and broke, and gave to them.

And their eyes were opened, and they knew him; and he vanished out of their sight.

And as they thus spake, Jesus himself stood in the midst of them, and saith unto them, Peace be unto you.

But they were terrified, and affrighted, and supposed that they had seen a spirit.

Then opened he their understanding, that they might understand the scriptures.

And said unto them, Thus it is written, and thus it behoved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the third day.

And that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in his name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem.

And yet are witnesses of these things.

And it came to pass, while he blessed them, he was parted from them, and carried up into heaven.



Easter Hope

This painting, "The King Is Dead, Long Live the King," has created a sensation in England, where it was sold to benefit a home for blind soldiers. Inset is the painter, Miss D. J. Vlach.

To Christian and to Gentile and to Jew

Spring brings the Easter-hope, forever new;

Out of the war-womb of a suffering Earth,

Out of death's winter springs eternal birth.

—By Edmund Vance Cooke

Quarter Century Ago

The following item from the old Sun will be of interest to many of the older employees of the Lawrence Manufacturing company of which Mr. Hall was the popular superintendent:

"William E. Hall, the retiring superintendent of the Lawrence company, was dined at the St. Charles hotel Saturday night. His health was drunk and he was given a fine send-off. He goes to a better position with the Boston Duck company. Thirty-eight of the 41 overseers and officials of the Lawrence company were there and Charles R. Goddard presided. During the speechmaking by several of those present, J. S. Thomson presented Mr. Hall a fine gold watch as a reminder of the 12 years spent at the Lawrence company and his former associates. There was story telling and music after the fine dinner served by Landlord Dickey."

Our Postoffice 25 Years Old

Just 25 years ago, March 23, the postoffice entered its present quarters at the corner of Gorham and Appleton streets, as indicated by the following item from the old Sun:

"I would not be out of place to put an 'April Fool' placard 'on the old postoffice doors. So many people were fooled yesterday and today in trying to get into the building from which the postoffice has moved."

The postoffice has closed its mail bags and left the centre of the city; like the Arabs, it silently moved away.

Today, business opened briskly at the new stand; but for the first time in years, firms and individuals on Merrimack and Central streets had their mail delivered by carriers. The new federal building is so far out of the way that few Merrimack street merchants will retain their letter boxes."

Lowell was supposed to rejoice over its new federal building, but even then its size, floor space and general ac-

readiness for such an outing, for his command."

Today nobody seems to know whether the old training camp at Framingham will be utilized or abandoned for Devens or some other military camp.

For Public Baths

Says the old Sun:

"Lowell should have a public bath system desirably fitted with modern appliances and conveniences and well situated."

"It was in this manner that Agent Knapp expressed himself to a Sun reporter yesterday. Mr. Knapp is particularly interested in the establishment of public baths and for some time he has been in communication with a citizens committee of New York which is engaged in the establishment and conducting of public baths in that city."

Horace Knapp as appears from the above item foresees one of the most urgent needs of our city and must soon be greatly enlarged or else abandoned for a new and larger building.

Letter From Mrs. Cleveland

According to the old Sun, Post 185, G.A.R., was somewhat disappointed on receiving a note from Mrs. Cleveland, then mistress of the White House at Washington. The post was running a fair and wrote her asking for a doll or some such gift to be awarded as a prize in a guessing contest. In a letter signed by R. L. O'Brien, she expressed her regrets that such requests were so numerous, she could not possibly comply with them.

THE OLD TIMER,

French Interests to Take Over Ships

PARIS, April 3.—(Hayas)—German ships seized by Brazil will be taken over by a syndicate of French ship owners on payment of \$26,000,000, according to the Journal, which says the matter has been definitely settled.

New Food Restrictions in Rome

ROMA, April 3.—(Hayas)—New restrictions on the use of meat, bread, rice and sugar were announced today in a decree issued by the government. Consumption of meat is prohibited on Thursdays and Fridays.

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K-C-WOMEN'S GIRLS

MERRY GIRLS

LET'S GO GIRLS

WANETA GIRLS

OXFORD GIRLS

SILVER TIPS

AMERICAN AUTHOR SHOT TO
DEATH BY VILLA FIRING SQUADBierce's Death Mystery Solved—One of His
Executors Tells Story to Newspaper Man
---Body Left in Desert

N.E.A. Staff Special

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Ambrose

Bierce, American author and critic,

whose disappearance has been one of

the mysteries of the literary world for

five years, stood before a Villa firing

squad in 1915 in Northern Mexico and

died like a soldier.

This impressive fact was told here by

Jaime H. Wilkins, San Francisco writer,

who knew Bierce, and who has just

returned from Mexico City, where he

says he talked with one of the eight

Mexicans who composed the firing

squad, and verified the Mexican's story

by a picture of Bierce the former

Villista took from the dead American's

body.

Wilkins' story has created a profound

impression among the literary colony

here, and in view of the fact that

Bierce went to Mexico saying he in

tended to die in battle, it is being

generally accepted as the authentic

story of the dramatic end of one of

America's most eminent writers.

Wanted to Die

Wilkins' search for the facts of

Bierce's death looked at first hopeless.

The English-speaking Mexican who saw

Bierce last was Edmund Melero, editor

of the Mexican Review, and Melero

died the day Wilkins arrived in Mexi

co City. But Melero had told George

Weeks, another newspaper man, that

Bierce had been captured near Tor

ron when, as military advisor to Carr

anza, he had fallen into the hands of

a Villa raiding party, and, with an

unknown Mexican soldier, lined up and

shot in accordance with the rebel chief's

code.

"I wanted to die in battle; if I cannot

do that I want to crawl into a lonely

hole in the mountains and die unob

served of mankind," Bierce told Melero

reveling the spirit that ran

through Bierce's later writings.

Leads Pack Train

Bierce and Melero joined Carranza's

forces, but later separated. The lat

ter heard vaguely of the capture of

a mule train which Bierce was supposed

to command.

A former Villista who was in the

capturing party lived in Mexico City

and it was Wilkins' good fortune to

discover this survivor.

After promising not to divulge his

name, Wilkins got the old Mexican's

story, corroborated by a picture taken

from Bierce's body which Wilkins at

once recognized as the author.

Full Stolely

Only two prisoners were taken by

the Villistas—a muleteer and a tall,

white-haired American. After a pre

emptory court martial the two were

sentenced to be shot.

"A one-eyed man would have known

this American was a man of distinc

tion," said the Mexican. "The Indian

dropped to his knees and prayed and

motioned to the American to do like

wise. The American hesitated a mom

ment, then straightened, folded his

hands and waited.

There was no delay. An officer sig

nailed and the two men fell forward.

No Burial Rites

"We searched their effects. I took

this photograph in the hope that it

might sometime identify the American.

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General Information

YELLLOWSTONE AND THE GRAND
CANYON CALL THE MOTOR-
IST FROM SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, Apr. 3.—The northward trend of the motorist who has vacationed along the sunny shores of Southern California has begun. Those who came here for the winter are steadily leaving for the cooler north.

The goal for a large number of departing tourists is the Yellowstone park, a comfortable, pleasing trip of about 1000 miles. On the way, a short detour into Arizona, to view the Grand Canyon, and the motorist has taken in one of the most memorable tours he can find in this country.

What adds to the pleasantness of it all, is that no unusual preparations for the unexpected need be made. The road is wonderful all the way up, even through the desert of southern California and Arizona and the ridge country of Utah and Idaho. Signs at all necessary points along the route are a great aid, and service stations are encountered throughout the journey.

Leaving Los Angeles, the motorist goes east along a smooth-paved boulevard, twisting a winding trail through

the Cajon Pass to the Mojave desert, which now is a desert in name only. Extra water may be carried for the desert crossing, but many have crossed without the extra supply.

On goes the motorist, in a general easterly direction, along the National Old Trails, passing Barstow 140 miles from Los Angeles, and on to Ibis, where some turn north who do not care to go farther east to the Grand Canyon. To see this marvel of nature means a detour of 228 miles along the National Old Trails to Williams, and 62 miles northward to the Colorado.

Those not taking this trip turn north at Ibis and take the Arrowhead trail toward Las Vegas. The road is in the best condition it has been for years. There are no grades to speak of.

From Las Vegas to Salt Lake City, the road is fair. Slight grades will be encountered. Farther north through Ogden and Pocatello, the roads are fair in dry weather. The same road brings the tourist to the main entrance of Yellowstone Park, which itself is abundant with beautiful, well-kept roads.

STARTS AUTO TRIP IN A FLIVVER, BUT FINISHES IT IN A ROWBOAT

CLEVELAND, O., April 3.—Ben's Silver is still doing its best for him, but only as a truck. Since last summer, when it behaved so badly as a passenger vehicle, it must rattle through the streets as a light truck, decked with the sign of Ben, the Hardware Man, and summoning attention with the clanking of pipes and the rustling of

The last straw was that Sunday trip to Vermilion, 45 miles west of here. Patching up tires and tubes, replacing spark plugs, brake rods, nuts and bolts, overhauling a balky engine and ending up with running two miles on three wheels and a rim made the pleasure trip miserable for Ben.

A cop started it. He stopped the Silver and berated Ben for passing a street-car that had been discharging passengers. Still within the city, the Silver became resentful and blew out, rather.

Well, no use mentioning every puncture and blowout. It would drag the story too long. Enough to say the longest run made that day wasn't ten

AUTO TALK

The motorist visiting New York might soon find it a pleasure to drive up the heretofore rutty and bumpy Broadway. For a movement is on to take up the street car tracks and start a motorbus system. The Broadway association of New York is behind the movement.

The Lincoln highway, stretching 3320 miles across the continent, has cost the country more than \$30,000,000 in the last six years. And there is still lots of improvements to be done on it before the road can be made accessible all year round.

A total of \$500,000,000 will be spent for the construction and maintenance of good roads throughout the country, by the states and municipalities alone. If you lend your machine to a friend for a while, be sure he doesn't use it to carry along something that might be confiscated by federal prohibition agents—unless it be himself.

For, if he's caught in the act, your machine goes to jail with your friend. That's a decision just made by prohibition authorities.

What's in Crank Case
You may have a liquid in the crank case of your engine, but is it a lubricant? It may be a combination of cylinder oil and gasoline. And you may blame the oil if the bearings burn out.

The safest way is to change your crank case oil regularly after every 1000 miles of driving. And use the oil recommended by the maker of the car you buy.

If the Radiator Leaks
A leaky radiator will stop giving trouble if a mixture of shellac is used with the water. That will stop the leaks from the inside.

Remember
To cross railroad tracks diagonally, so as to reduce the jolt to a minimum. To zigzag up a steep grade, to lighten the grade and help the motor.

Massachusetts may be the first state to force people to learn prevention against accidents. A bill filed with the legislature by the Automobile Legal Association would make accident prevention the subject of a course in public schools.

Japanese motorists must have regard for pedestrians. On muddy days, the law requires them to place "splash fenders" along the bottom side of the wheels so that mud may not strike passing pedestrians.

When a physician's car is damaged through the negligence of another driver, and he is obliged to hire another machine while his own is in the garage for repairs, the costs not only for the repairs, but even for hiring the other car must be paid by the man liable for the accident.

This is the opinion of a Pennsylvania district court before which a case came up. If the car is not used for purely business purposes, this special item of damages cannot be recovered, although the owner might hire another car.

Apply the brakes slowly. Applying them suddenly causes the wheels to slide.

Adjust the brakes evenly, so one tire won't grind or slide.

Take turns slowly. Whirling around corners makes all tires to slide even when there is no bad skid.

Avoid newly applied crushed stone roads on wet days. The sharp-edged stones cut into the tires more easily when wet.

FIRST AID TO AUTOISTS

LONDON, April 3.—The Automobile Association and Motor Union of Great Britain has learned a lesson from the war which is expected to be of unlimited value to the English motorists.

Allies Reiterate Demands to Turks

LONDON, April 3.—The allies have presented a collective note to the Turkish government reiterating their demand that the latter officially disavow the nationalistic movement, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Constantinople under Tuesday's date.

ANSWERING the question as to where the responsibility lies for the increase in the report says: "In a single sentence, the tanners, the manufacturers, and the retail shop dealers made profits not warranted by the circumstances."

And if these things be true of 1914 and 1915, what we shall say of 1920, with conditions steadily growing worse and Mrs. Jones compelled to pay \$15 for a pair of shoes she bought for \$5 in 1914.

There is a remedy, which we shall discuss later.

At present—turn on the light!

ROW, who has committed Douthitt's death sentence to life in prison.

For the killing of a comrade in a drunken fight, Douthitt was sentenced to be electrocuted in 1917. Because of some flaw in official red tape the date of electrocution was never set.

Douthitt went to live in the death house. His cell along the silent corridor became the tomb of a living man.

Eight times in 3 years he lived in "death row," he watched doomed men walk to the chair.

It was never his time to die. Governor Black succeeded Governor Stanley and Governor Morrow took the place of Governor Black. The man in the death house remained, forgotten.

W.H. Lockett, negro murderer, was brought to spend his last living hours in a neighboring cell. Newspapers came to see him. Douthitt, emboldened by desperation, called through the steel lattice of his cell door:

"For God's sake tell the governor to kill me if he's going to."

Within 24 hours the commanding general was issued.

MAN THE STATE FORGOT

Starts On Life Term—Suffered Death Eight Times, Says Governor

He does not know the sickening thirst that sends one's throat, before the hangman with his gardener's gloves slips through the padded door, Wildo., N.E.A. Star Special.

EDDYTOWN, Ky., April 3.—Charles Douthitt, 21, "the man the state forgot," suffered death eight times when he saw eight others come to death, in the opinion of Governor Edwin P. Morris.



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Auto Tips

Automobiles

It is the use of motorcycles with side cars to aid automobiles in distress.

The side cars contain all appliances that might be needed for first aid in case of automobile accidents. The auto association has several of these first aid cyclers on the highways of Eng-

land and in large cities and towns. All that is needed is to call up the nearest first aid station and a cyclist will reach the scene with the needed gallon of gasoline or tools to fit up the car enough to bring it to the nearest garage for complete repair.

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Governor Morrow of Kentucky Starts War on Lynching

N.E.A. Staff Correspondent.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 3.—The "open season" for lynching in Kentucky is nearly ended, and the killing of Grant Smith, negro, in Fleming county, by a mob is putting public opinion to the test.

Governor Morrow, who ordered out troops in Lexington and upheld the law in the case of Will Lockett, another negro, saved from a mob for legal execution at the cost of the lives of six white men, is determined that his state shall take the lead in abolishing the lynching evil.

The fight will be carried to other states, he says, and waged until the evil is abolished.

"There is no doubt of the moral responsibility of the officers in allowing Smith to be taken from custody," said the governor, "although the state law compelling the removal from office

of peace officers who surrender prisoners to mobs is not operative until June. The incident is most regrettable. The law should have been permitted to take its course. The summary justice dealt to Lockett at Lexington recently should leave no doubt in the minds of honest men that Kentuckians know how to deal with criminals of his type."

Lockett was sentenced to death after a trial lasting 15 minutes, and was promptly executed.

The stand taken by Governor Morrow was at first received with antagonism by a large section of the people of his state. But sentiment has been changing rapidly.

After the new law is in force, Governor Morrow will supervise its enforcement vigorously. The lynching question has become a big political issue in Kentucky.



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Honeymooners Off On Five-Year Houseboat Trip—Well For 'Em

Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Moore and "Dusty" mascot, Sneed—The houseboat Margaret G. Miles, in which they will float 5000 miles from Ohio to Brazil.

The trip will take five years and the boat will cover 8000 miles. They will float to the Gulf of Mexico and then tow the boat with a launch they carry on the forward deck. A sliver is stabled on the Margaret G.'s "back porch."

The boat has the comforts of home. The doctor has a land tract in Brazil.

Five other men and three other women will make the trip with the Moore's.

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Hints for the Household

Latest Fashion Notes by Betty Brown

"KEEP A BUDGET AND STRETCH YOUR DOLLARS" IS THE ADVICE OF WOMAN BANKER TO WORKING GIRLS

NEW YORK, April 3.—Is there any way a girl may spread her weekly wage to cover every swelling item more easily?

What percentage of her earnings should a girl spend on different things in order to make a dollar go the furthest?

These questions were put to Miss Virginia D. H. Furman, recently elected assistant secretary of the Columbia Trust company of New York. Miss Furman, at the time of her election, was the first woman to hold an official bank position. She has charge of the special interests of the bank's women clients, thus embodying a new and valuable idea in bank management, by establishing confidential contact between the bank and its women customers.

Budget Necessary

"Every girl should keep a budget," replied Miss Furman. "That sounds like a fussy way of making a hard job harder, but it isn't. The budget system as worked out by the National League of Women Workers, in which I am interested, is a simple way for a girl to control her spending instead of letting her spending control her."

"There are five steps in making a budget.

"First—Keep accurate weekly accounts of your spending.

"Second—Find your average weekly expenditure in each direction.

"Third—Find what proportion of your total weekly income is spent in each direction.

"Fourth—Study other people's experience to find what proportions they have spent in each direction to get the most comfort and most savings from their income.

"Fifth—Decide at the beginning of the week what proportion of your income you will spend in each direction."

An easy way, suggested by Miss Furman to keep weekly accounts is to take a cheap-lined copy book and down the left edge of a page list under each other the various things for which money is spent. Along the top, above the first item, put the days of the week across the page.

Average Expenditure

The average expenditure in each di-



Miss Virginia D. H. Furman.

Miss Furman is first woman elected to official position in bank.

them to clean up a nice little percentage of profit without much trouble, but it is hard on the housekeeper and the family pocketbook.

Preaching to Schools

Religious toleration, I suppose, is one of the finest attributes a man may have these days. "Live and let live" applies in this particular perhaps more aptly than in any other. At the same time the most tolerant man prefers to choose his own manner of worshiping. Likewise he prefers that his children, at least in their early years, follow in his way. Imagine, then, the feelings of amazement among the residents of a certain nearby town, when representatives of a local revival of acknowledged sectarian leanings waited outside a certain public school until dismissal time, then urged and exhorted the pupils in a body. Possibly and probably these missionaries had permission of the authorities to make this visit. It does not seem likely that even religious zeal would prompt its advocates openly to address public school children of different denominations on the school grounds. At the same time, granting they had such permission, it would be interesting to hear what the school committee have to say in defense of their action.

Women Vote

The wag who uttered this parody on the poem, "Maud Muller"—

"Of all the sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these—Massachusetts has more women than men."

It may soon be obliged to laugh with the other side of his face, for when the suffrage amendment is passed, Massachusetts will have 58,264 more women voters than men. The men, however, must not be unduly alarmed, for it is safe to assume that this privilege of voting, so carefully and jealously guarded all these years from the dreadful female of the species will find many backsliders among the women, due to the weather and other causes. So do not be alarmed, boys, for we, too, are human and are just as prone as you to let that poor, mysterious, but highly-over-worked gentleman, George, vote for us. Besides, you know, we are not going to vote against you; we are going to vote with you, at least with some of you. Or, wait, is it you who are going to vote with us?

In the national field, men voters will be somewhat in the majority. In the entire country there will be 2,500,000 more men than women. At the same time, in national politics, this figure is not as great as it would seem, unless you are running for office and lose by that many votes. Should women vote in the approaching residential election, the novelty of suffrage probably will draw out nearer one hundred per cent of the female portion of the electorate than of the male.

"We are coming, Father Abraham," by the million all right!

LADY LOOKABOUT.

Census takers in South Dakota managed to discover, in four counties a total of nine bathtubs still 55 per cent of the residents own automobiles.

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Marjorie Daw, who says she never told a fib in her life, was bridegroom at the Pickford-Fairbanks wedding. Mary and Douglas tried hard to keep the marriage a secret, but somebody "peached." Probably Marjorie's parrot.



ANGELICA VERKAMMEN

KING ALBERT'S LIFE

SAVED BY THIS GIRL

King Albert has pinned the Croix de Guerre, Order of Leopold and the Croix de la Elizabeth on Miss Angelica Verkammen, a Belgian peasant girl, because of a service she rendered during the war. The girl, on her way to Antwerp, overheard a German officer and nurse plotting to blow up the palace in Brussels on Feb. 10, 1910, when King Albert was in conference with allied officers. She informed official and the Germans were convicted and shot.

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reception should be found after the accounts have been kept for at least three weeks, by adding the amount spent for any one item in that time and dividing by three.

Percentages are found by dividing the weekly income by 100 to find 1 per cent of the income, and dividing each average weekly expenditure by this 1 per cent. This will show how the income is apportioned.

"The table of percentages," says Miss Furman, "which has given the most comfort to most people, according to the National League of Women Workers, is this:

Rent, 20 per cent; clothing, 10 per cent; food, 30 per cent; improvement, 10 per cent, including recreation, club dues, dental and medical care; operating expenses, 15 per cent, carfare, laundry, etc., insurance and savings, 10 per cent.

"These are the proportions which have been found by long experience to work out best in supporting a family. For an individual girl the proportions might be somewhat different.

How to Adjust Budget

"Suppose Mary, whose savings average 35 cents a week, decides she wants to save more, but doesn't know how to do it. If she compared her actual spending with the percentages recommended she will see that in proportion to her board and rent she is spending far too much on clothes, and somewhat too much on improvement and operating expenses.

"Tizzie thinks she has been economizing by spending less than usual on food. But the saving has been lost on medicine. So she decides to economize on clothing and not on food.

"Rosalie finds her clothing is costing her 25 per cent of her income—a little over a quarter. So she decides to wear her old things a season longer than usual.

"Madge finds she is spending 35 per cent of her income on rent instead of the wiser 20 per cent. She moves.

"One thing which should never appear in the program of budget-making, except in the greatest emergency, is cutting down that safe percentage of savings."

The back and sides of tunic and waist are cut together, while the straight skirt is attached to the vest and a waist lining. Then, as a finishing feature, there is the hat of the same taffeta with a long bow of soft silk ribbon atop the crown which, also, is of the straw.



TAFFETA AND SERGE COMBINE

IN SPRING DRESS—VERY

SWEET, WE'LL SAY

BY CORA MOORE

New York's Fashion Authority

NEW YORK, April 3.—The one-piece dress worn with the bit of fur holds its own in popular favor.

In this model, inspired by a costume worn in John Drew's current play, "The Cat Bird," it is the clever combination of taffeta and serge that is most important. Midnight taffeta forms the dress, while the band trimmings are of serge braided in black with an occasional green gold thread introduced.

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Here, in this gold tissue gown over lavender satin that Belle Story wears

Sprinkling Flowers Over Lacy Frocks
The Newest Thing in Paris

in "Happy Days" at the Hippodrome, is an excellent example of the Parisian mode. Straggling clusters of pansies and wistaria, each tied with a two-inch satin ribbon, are caught to the gold tissue, below a series of half-inch tucks, and a strand of the flowers decorates the corsage, which is a little surprise affair. Finally, there is a girlie of soft lavender satin.

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DUBLIN, April 3.—The Freeman's Journal advances the belief that Field Marshal Viscount French is to resign as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and that he will be succeeded by Lord Deedes.

The newspaper says Viscount French probably will go to Canada as governor general.

Big Train Robbers

DUBLIN, April 3.—Fifty armed men yesterday held up a train at Killoran, near Limerick, and escaped with \$3000 pounds sterling. The money was to have been used to pay off workmen.

CARTRIDGE COMPANY IN \$250,000 SUIT

BALTIMORE, April 3.—With \$250,000 as the stake, the United States Cartridge company and the Crown Cork and Seal company are waging a legal battle before Judge Rose in federal court.

The cartridge company brought the suit to recover commissions on the manufacture of munitions of war by the Baltimore concern.

Trial of the case was postponed yesterday because of the holiday and will be resumed next week.

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Toledo Without Cars

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to take care of the wage demands calling for a maximum of 60 cents an hour, the men voted to strike.

All transportation ceased at 4 o'clock this morning, the cars being sent into the barns. There will be no attempt to operate them with non-union men, officials of the company said.

The strike will put the traction question back into the jurisdiction of the United States district court. Judge Killits, who was responsible for restoration of service after the cars were taken into Michigan last November when an order ordinance was adopted by a vote of the people, is expected to take some action today.

More than 1200 men are involved in the strike which is participated in also by electrical workers and shopmen. The carmen have been receiving 42, 44 and 46 cents an hour. The working agreement with the company expired on April 1. The scale agreed to by the mayor and the company calls for 54, 56 and 60 cents. Fares were to be increased from six cents and two cents for a transfer, to seven cents and two cents.

The streetcar strike forced many citizens to walk to work. Some motor busses were running but the number was far from adequate to meet the demand for transportation.

It is expected that the city will again take over the direction of buses, map out routes and supervise the operation of a makeshift transportation system, as was done last year, when Henry J. Doherty, head of the Toledo Railways & Light Co., took the cars out of the state for a month because the people voted for an order ordinance. Meanwhile, violent scenes

seven miles west of Dublin also

were reported taking place among the Sinn Fein prisoners confined in Londonderry jail.

UNUSUAL ACTIVITY also was displayed by the authorities at Dundalk, Midway between Belfast and Dublin, special patrols being posted at all approaches to the town. The drivers of motor cars, which vehicles were numerous on the roads because of the Eastertide activities, were required to produce their permits.

Search All Vehicles

BELFAST, April 3.—In addition

to pronounced military activity in the vicinity of Londonderry today, all the roads about the town being patrolled, the passengers who arrived by the Scotch boat at Londonderry were searched by the police.

Meanwhile, violent scenes

Heavy Guard

Continued

to Londonderry last night, motor cars were minutely searched and drivers had to produce permits and declare their business, says a Central News despatch from Dublin. It is believed this military activity had something to do with rumors of an Easter uprising.

There was unusual military activity in the suburbs of Dublin today, according to the despatch. Parties of soldiers with armored cars took up positions shortly after midnight, just outside the city boundaries and all vehicles approaching the capital were searched. Hay cars received particular attention and the tramway passengers from Lucan, about

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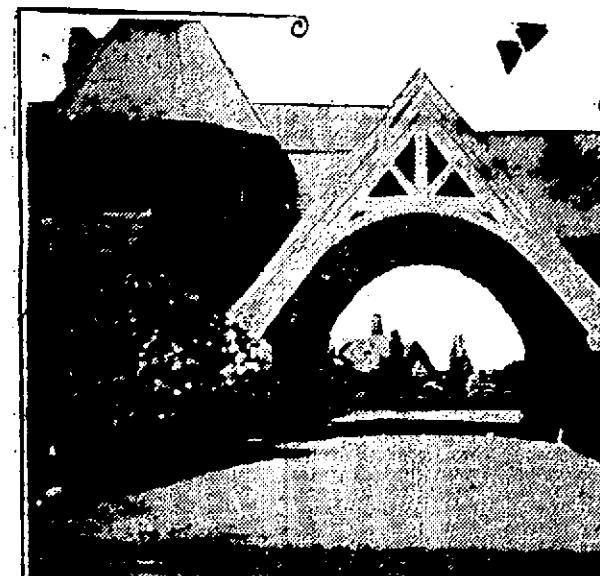
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This is an entrance to a beautiful section of Woods Hole, where President Wilson is to spend the summer months. After June 15, he will rest at the home of Charles R. Crane, the new American minister to China, which is located on one of the Massachusetts capes.

Embargo on Freight Through N. Y.

NEW YORK, April 3.—A general embargo on export freight through New York, brought about by the discontinuance of export freight permits, was placed in effect here today by the various rail lines on account of the harbor strike. At the office of the traffic control manager of the railroads, it was said that it was uncertain when the issuance of permits would be resumed.

Report on Armenian Investigation

WASHINGTON, April 3.—President Wilson transmitted to the Senate today the report of the American commission headed by Major General Harbord, which investigated conditions in Armenia. The report had twice been asked for by the Senate, first last November, and then under a resolution adopted several weeks ago.

Tilden Wins Tennis Championship

NEW YORK, April 3.—William T. Tilden, 2nd, of Philadelphia, won the national indoor singles tennis championship here today. The winner proved entirely too fast for the young title holder, Vincent Richards of Yonkers, in the final match of the tournament, beating him in three straight sets 10-8, 6-3, 6-1.

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Ave Maria Rosalie
Laudato Stearus

Choir director, Oliver J. David; organist, Miss Edna Mongrain, orchestra leader, James Buckley. The soloists at the mass and vespers will be Edouard Gregoire, Miss Bernadette Fontaine, Miss Dora Bedard, Arcilla Brunelle, Jules Morrisette, O. J. David, Miss Fleur Anger Brousseau, Miss Alice Beanger, Mrs. Louise Robert Chalifoux, Louis Fourrier, Edward Desrochers.

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH
Rev. Charles J. Gilligan, Pastor
High Mass at 11 A. M.
Organ Prelude, "Resurrexit," Himmel
Vidi Aquam Gregorian
Kyrie Gloria, Credo, Agnus Dei and Sanctus, Mass in F Rosalie
Credo, Mass in F Rosalie
Offertory, "Ave Maria" Gounod
(With obligato) Miss Katherine V. Hennessey, soprano

Sanctus Mass in F Rosalie
Benedictus Mass in F Rosalie
Agnus Dei Mass in F Rosalie
Organ postlude, Triumphal March Marks

At the 3 o'clock mass a feature of the musical program will be a duet by Miss Evelyn Whitton, soprano, and Miss Roberta Johnson, contralto.

VESPERS AT 4 P. M.
Organ prelude, "Impromptu," Flager
Gregorian Psalms of the Feast
Antiphon of the Day, Haec Dies
Magnificat Werner
Agnus Dei Werner
O Salutaris Werner
Tantum Ergo Schmitt
Laudate Dominum Gregorian
Postlude, "Alloluta" Rockwell
Soloists: Miss K. V. Hennessey and Miss James E. Flager; soprano, Mrs. Arthur G. Quigley, contralto, Mr. John Roane and Mr. John Buckley, basso, Mr. William Burns, tenor, Mr. Frank McCarthy, basso, Director and organist, Mr. John F. McGlinchey.

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH
Processional March Read
Prelude, Rosary Nevin
Organist
Asperges Me, Mass of St. Cecilia, Turner
Kyrie Turner
Gloria Turner
Credo Turner
Choir Turner
Offertory, Ave Verum Mihard
Sanctus, Mass for St. Cecilia, Turner
Benedictus Turner
Agnus Dei Turner
Choir Turner
Regina Coeli Webb
Choir Webb
BENEDICTION

Miss Frances Tigh, Turner
O Salutaris Margit
Tantum Ergo Verdussen
Holy God, Choir
Organist, Miss Katherine Wholey.

SOLEMN VESPERS AT 4 P. M.
Processional, "Resurrexit," J. Falkenstein
Psalms and Antiphons of the Day sung antiphonally by Church and Sacrament Choirs.

Antiphon of the Day, "Haec Dies," Lambillotte

Church Choir.

"Magnificat," Webb
Church and Sanctuary Choirs, "Regina Coeli," A. H. Rosalie
Sanctuary Choir.

"O Salutaris," Margit

Bass solo, George Kirwin.

"Tantum Ergo," Lambillotte

Church Choir.

Recessional, "Easter Hymn," Wm. Cardinal O'Connell

FIRST PRIMITIVE METHODIST

Rev. Earl W. Mathews, Pastor

MORNING, 10:30

Prelude, Pilgrim's Chorus, R. Wagner
Anthem, Hallelujah, Christ is Risen

Adams

Anthem, The Message of Gladness, Gabriel

Choir

Sermon, Resurrection, Inspirations

God So Loved the World, Whithy

Quarter

Offertory, Hallelujah, Kinder

Psalm, Easter March, N. V. Flaxer

Graduate, Organ solo, G. H. Flaxer

Chorus, choir, 25 voices, Violinists,

Meers, Joseph P. Fielding, H. Graham

Pascal, Herbert Carlson, cornetist,

Mr. Robert Smith; chorister, Mr. John

Pooler; organist, Mr. Charles Pierce.

NEW JEWEL THEATRE

EASTER GREETINGS TO ALL

OUR PATRONS!

Another Big Program to Open the Post-Lenten Season

MONDAY and TUESDAY

The Weaker Sex

A powerful dramatic story of women's part in modern social life. Featuring an All-Star Cast.

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MARY MILES MINTER

The diminutive star you all admire—In

Anne of Green Gables

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"THE TWO-GUN BANDIT"

Chester Oeding Pictures

—TODAY—

GLORIA JOY in
"LOCKED HEARTS"

BRYANT WASHBURN in

"Venus of the East"



DUSTIN PARHAM IN THE CUSHMAN BROTHERS
One of the Features on the Triple-Super-Production Program at The Strand the First of the Coming Week

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Rev. Lawrence Ticho, O.M.I., Pastor

MORNING SERVICE

Solem Mass, 11 a. m.

Processional,

Sanctuary Choir.

Vidi Aquam Witzka

Introt. Gregorian

Kyrie Eleison Kallwoda

Glory Kallwoda

Gratulat. Kallwoda

Graduate Kallwoda

Credo Kallwoda

Offertory: Viteimae Paschali Lantes

Sanctus Kallwoda

Benedictus Kallwoda

Agnus Dei Kallwoda

Recessional,

Sanctuary Choir.

EVENING SERVICES

Solem Vespers, 6:30 p. m.

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On and Off the Stage

Intimate Stories of Stars

Closeups With the Movies

Sadie Leonard
Appearing in "When Caesar's Her" at B. F. Keith Theatre. Next Week

BOSTON ENGLISH OPERA COMPANY

WILL PLAY REURN ENGAGE-

MENT AT OPERA HOUSE.

The announcement that the Boston English Opera Company is to play a return engagement at the Opera House on Monday and Tuesday, April 12-13, with a source of satisfaction and joy to the managers, Lowell and vicinity. This company's performance of "Robin Hood" in Lowell some weeks ago will be favorably remembered by those who were fortunate enough to secure tickets for the day's presentation of that popular piece and their return will unquestionably herald as a welcomed change to the regular run of local attractions.

This company filled a long engagement at the Arlington theatre, Boston, and at its close answered the call from the managers to make a short tour of the cities of New England. Lowell was one of the places fortunate enough to secure these artists, and after the completion of the tour, which eventually extended into Canada, the local management was lucky enough to secure them for a return engagement. The program for the coming dates here will be: Monday night, Verdi's delightful opera, "Il Trovatore"; Tuesday matinee, Da Koven's tuneful comic opera, "Robin Hood"; and Tuesday night, Balfe's romantic opera, "The Maid of the Mountains". Mr. Joseph Sheehan will appear in "Maurice" in "Il Trovatore," and the other stars of the cast will appear to advantage.

The prices will be \$2, \$1.50, \$1 and 25 cents for the night performances and \$1.50, \$1 and 25 cents for the matinee performance. These prices do not include the war tax. Mail orders, accompanied by check or cash, will be received in order from now on. The public sale will open on Monday, April 6, at 8 a. m.

Judging from the big demand for tickets at the last appearance of this company, it would seem advisable to make application as quickly as possible if you wish the choice reservations.

BLIND HUSBANDS, "THE GROCERY CLERK" AND OTHER STERLING ATTRACTIONS AT THE STRAND

Absolutely the biggest and best photoplay program in New England, is what General Manager Thomas E. Sothern promises his patrons of The Strand for the coming week. During the first three days a triple super-production program is guaranteed. Nothing equal to it has ever been attempted by any local management. Three big features, each one of sufficient drama and exciting power to save a show on the bill, will contribute in making the attraction the do-it-all program of the year. Just read it over and judge for yourself.

"Blind Husband," the most enthralling picture ever produced by the Universal film company, with Eric Stroheim in the stellar role, Dustin Farnum in Alexander Dumas' masterpiece, "The Corsican Brothers," and Larry Semon, rival of Charlie Chaplin as comedy king, in his biggest and best humor-making film, "The Grocery Clerk." These pictures are personal selections by General Manager Sothern, and the only recent film, "The Strand and Blaite," New York City, at \$1.50 prices. You will see them at the prevailing Strand prices.

Then for the last three days of the week the Universal's sensational jewel production, "The Great Air Robbery," will be the main attraction at the Strand.

The second effort for Easter Sunday will be the very highest-class series of vaudeville acts and motion picture stories. You can't miss it for it's the newest, biggest and best. In

it's the newest,

LOWELL DROPS ANOTHER TO FALL RIVER

While it is an established fact in polo that when a team wins the rushers get the credit and when it loses the goal tend is made the "goat," it can definitely be stated that Ponce's prediction last night had an important bearing on the Lowell defeat by Fall River by the score of 6 to 6.

Ponce usually one of the best goalies in the business had an off night and while Fall River deserved credit for its victory, it is equally true that much different had Ponce been up to his usual mark. Three of the eight goals scored by the visitors were of the "fishy" variety, while the others came as the result of real polo play.

One of the Fall River goals, the one that turned the tide in the final period, with Steve Pierce the hero, will long be remembered. The score was tied at four all, when Cusick hit a high one from the end of the rink. It was a clever shot, but it got into the air. Pierce was standing at the mouth of the goal, and he elevated his stick and hooked the little red ball into the Lowell cage. This maneuver gave Fall River the edge and later on more were added for good measure.

On the other side of the rare form, it had an extremely bumpy night, and only for his high class work, he instead of the Lowell man might be on the "pan." Lowell bombarded Blount from all angles, especially in the final period, but he stood up under the fire and held his own, holding his own to all. Blount blocked one of the Fall River drives. Harkins and Davies worked like trojans in an endeavor to pull out a victory. They employed all their cunning, but their efforts were fruitless. Hart and Pierce, the Fall River stars, had a shot at playing a high class combination game while "Big" Jean put up his usual effective exhibition.

Goals poured into the rages in the first session, Lowell getting five and Fall River four. It looked like a Lowell night, but the world later turned. George Hart, jumping through a hole as play opened, Marquis then followed with two. Hart landed another, after which Davies shot in three for Lowell. Pierce came through with one and a few minutes later the period ended.

In the second chapter the teams settled down and played a strong blocking game, with the result that but one goal was scored, this by Hart and it created a tie. In the third Hart shot in another, but two minutes later Davies followed with a shot of his own. Then came Pierce's feature goal of the night, which was followed by Hart's sixth and the final score of the night. The final up and score:

LOWELL FALL RIVER
Pierce 11 Hart 11
Harkins 21 Davies 21
Griffith 6 Cusick 6
Doherty 5 Blount 5
Ponce 4

FIRST PERIOD
Fall River Caged by Time
Fall River Hart 1:16
Fall River Hart 1:59
Lowell Harkins 52
Lowell Hart 57
Fall River Hart 53
Lowell Davies 19
Lowell Davies 43
Lowell Davies 54
Fall River Pierce 03

SECOND PERIOD
Fall River Hart 16:34

THIRD PERIOD
Fall River Hart 7:03
Lowell Davies 2:08
Fall River Pierce 54
Fall River Hart 4:49

Summary: Score: Fall River 8, Lowell 8. Rushes: Pierce 2, Davies 8. Stops: Ponce 45, Blount 51. Foul: Doherty. Referee, Graham.

PROVIDENCE BEATS WORCESTER
PROVIDENCE, April 3.—In the local rink last night the Providence team won easily from Worcester and emerged the victor by a 5 to 2 score. The Worcester end of the game was marked by excellent team work and both goal tends performed creditably. The score:

PROVIDENCE WORCESTER
R. Williams 1r. 1r. Taylor
Evans 2r. 2r. Higgins
Brown 6 c. 6 c. Donnelly
Lyons b. 6 b. Foley
Hoeffner 5. 5. Conley

Summary: Score: Providence 5, Worcester 2. Rushes: Williams 2, Taylor 7. Goals: Williams 2, Evans 1, Lyons 1, Donnelly 1, Taylor 1. Stops: Hoeffner 42, Conley 42, Poults: Brown, Donnelly. Referee: Devin.

WHALEERS TRIM WITCHES
NEW BEDFORD, April 3.—In a game marked by unusual roughness here last night the New Bedford team won over Salem, 5 to 4. The final goal was slammed in on overtime by Dougall. Salem had hard luck with the ball, having jolted out of the net three times. The team also lost a couple on fouls. Hardy and Morrison were the offenders.

The scores:

NEW BEDFORD SALEM
Dugan 1r. 1r. Williams
Hart 2r. 2r. Higgins
Dufresne c. 6 c. Hardy
Gardner b. 6 b. Morrison
Jette g. 6 g. Lovegreen

Summary: Score: New Bedford 5, Salem 4. Rushes: Dugan 13, Williams 2, Hart 1. Goals: Dugan 2, Dufresne 2, Hart 1, Williams 2, Jette 12. Stops: Hart, Morrison 2, Jette 12, Dufresne. Referee: Knowlton.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

WON	LOST	P.C.	
Providence	64	51	55.7
Fall River	62	55	53.0
Lowell	57	58	50.9
W. Salem	53	60	49.0
Worcester	44	56	45.1
New Bedford	53	58	45.1

POLO NOTES

Salem hero next Tuesday.

Davies and Harkins played great polo all the way. They gave Blount a busy session, but the blond goalie was on the job every second.

Few first periods were productive of more goals than last evening's opening session.

Pierce and Hart worked like a machine and put up a high class exhibition of combination endeavor.

OverAll Cigars
3 FOR 35c

O. U. BUSHER

Wood Is Ofte n "Punk" You Know

DIDYA SEE THAT SWELL CATCH I MADE LAST INNING?

NOPE!

OBOY IT WAS GREAT THASS ALL I'M SURE PROMISING BIG LEAGUE TIMBER AINT I?

TIMBER IS RIGHT - BLOCKHEAD!

11/11

Drews

BY PARKS

The color of your eyes calls

for a certain shade in your clothes—especially your ties

—that's why a tie looks

good to one man and all

wrong to the next. Our

assortment is so large and

varied that you'll surely find

one here to catch your eye.

65c to \$3.00

Boys' Pour-in-Hands,

50c and 65c

25c to \$3 Pair

\$2 to \$6 Pair

BY PARKS

Constantinople.

American business men here are ap-

prehensive over the effect of the pres-

ident's stand and there is considerable

uneasiness as to the effect it will

have in Asiatic Turkey, where 800

American-born teachers and relief

workers are considered to be in con-

siderable danger if the protection of

Turkish forces should be withdrawn

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